# More Freshmen Enroll this Year; Majority from Surrounding Area

#### Lancaster, Lebanon, York Main Contributors

Exceeding last year's enrollment, this year's 110 freshmen come from scattered areas of this and nearby

From New York state are Robert R. Cinnamon, 48-41 - 43rd Street, Woodside; Barbara J. Bowman and registration in the auditorium-gym-Lois A. Keim from Ludlowville.

New Jersey sends James H. Ferris, 625 Mt. Prospect Avenue, Newark; Jack Fichter, 1820 W. River Drive, Merchantville; and Jack B. Herr, Apt. 28, North Garden Terrace, North Arlington.

Alan L. Whitacre arrives from Ridgeley, West Virginia; and from Philadelphia, George H. Strickland, Jr., 306 E. Allens Land and Christopher C. Simpson, 234 Harrogate Road.

The Elizabethtown area is contributing Julius H. Belser, R. D. 3; Elsie Mae Bomgardner, R. D. 3; Henry R. Hoerner, Jr., Masonic Homes; Geraldine C. Snyder, R. D.

Borough students include Patricia H. Boggs, 323 Orange Street; Paul M. Grubb, Jr., 307 College Avenue; James C. Hivner, 337 S. Market Street; Martha Jane Lutz, 250 West Bainbridge Street; David Newcomer, Jr., 228 Lemon Street; Gerald H. Roland, 354 N. Hanover Street; Kenneth Reighard, 124 N. Poplar Street; Blaine H. Stephens, Bowl-Mor Apartment No. 5; and Paul E. Welliver, 33 Arch Street.

Freshmen from Lancaster city include Victor Ballou, Jr., 1024 W. Clay Street; George Breneman, 972 Center Avenue; David E. Ebersole, 526 W. Chestnut Street; Robert A. Allison III, 1610 Ridgeview Avenue; James Obetz, 628 Poplar Street; Nancy Kay Seldomridge, 1123 East King Street; and Mary M. Walzl, 622 Juniata Street.

Lorraine B. Burkhart, R. D. 4, and Anita F. Swords, R. D. 1, complete the Lancaster registrants.

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#### Sophomores Lead Roster Of Twenty Transferees

Sophomores head the list transferees to Elizabethtown college with nine students.

The sophomores are: William E. Anderson, 630 South Hanover Street, Carlisle; Elizabeth L. Frost, R. D. 6, Lancaster; James Lewis Gross III, 413 Allegheny Street, Dauphin; Arthur F. Hiepler, 633 Manor Street, Lancaster; Patricia Ann Hogg, 802 North Duke Street, Lancaster; Mrs. Marie Kerchner, 303 South State Street, Ephrata; David D. Milne, Jr., 209 North Gotwalt Street, York; Paul Meckley, 180 East High Street, Elizabethtown; and R. Arlene Weidman, R. D. 1, Manheim.

Other transfer students include: Leonard P. Grimm, junior, 100 North 45th Street, Harrisburg; Stanley C. Hanshaw, senior, 1170 High Street, Oberlin; Richard S. Heisey, junior, 58 East High Street, Elizabethtown; Richard J. Long, junior, become president of McPherson intramural sports program in an ef-1730 West Market Street, York, and College, McPherson, Kansas in July, fort to enlarge its range of activveen Z. Snyder, junior, Florin.

#### Full 3-Day Agenda **Greets Freshmen**

Three days of activities before classes begin have been planned for all freshmen.

Today will be consumed with nasium starting at 8:30 a.m. For this evening the houses are planning an entertainment program.

Tomorrow all freshmen are expected to be in the chapel at 10 a.m. in order to meet the Student Senate representatives who will explain the position and duties of the Student Senate. Also at this time the college song will be taught to the freshmen by Professor David Albright, music instructor.

Again at 1:30 p.m. all freshmen are expected to convene in the chap-(Continued on Page 3)

## Ambassadors of Song First Lyceum Number

The Ambassador Octet, often known as the Ambassadors of Song, will present the first lyceum number in the alumni auditorium-gymnasium on October 7 at 8 p.m.

This group of singers, organized by Ray G. Steiner, will offer a varied program of music, ranging from classical to modern numbers and including negro spirituals.

Each member of the male group is a solo artist according to Professor E. G. Meyer, chairman of the college lyceum committee.

#### **Klauss Trio Plays** For Fall Reception

The faculty will entertain the entire student body at a reception in the auditorium-gymnasium on Thursday evening, September 29, from 6 to 8 o'clock.

The Klauss trio will provide music for the buffet supper. Members of the trio include Russell Sheetz, pianist, Noah Klauss, violinist and Donald Fenelli, cellist.

#### Gov't Conference Held in Harrisburg

The annual Student Government Planning conference opened with a dinner in the college dining room, Friday, September 16. The conference was comprised of members of the student government association with their advisers. Following the conference the first meeting was held in room 201 of the college.

The following agenda was brought to the attention of the student government representatives: (1) the senate budget (2) freshman regulations (3) orientation week plans (4) student activities calendar (5) president's message (6) previews of Saturday's meeting (7) installation of all student organization officers.

On Saturday morning the students met in the Governor's Room of the Penn Harris Hotel, Harrisburg, with President A. C. Baugher, Dean Henry G. Bucher, and Business Manager K. Ezra Bucher and their advisers, Mr. Eby C. Espenshade, Dean of Men, and Miss Vera Hackman, Dean of Women, together with their respective assistants, Mr. Joseph Dodd and Miss Emma Engle.

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# 50th Anniversary Celebration

Gov. James H. Duff Receives LL.D.



Governor James H. Duff

Pennsylvania's first citizen who will deliver the main address at the convocation on Friday is a native of Allegheny County. He is a descendant of some of America's earliest pioneers and his ancestors were among the first settlers in Western Pennsylvania.

Governor James H. Duff is a graduate of Princeton University and the University of Pittsburgh Law School. He practiced law in Pittsburgh until 1943 when he was called to be attorney general of the commonwealth. Before being elected governor, he served as chairman of the Historical Commission and as a member of the Pardon Board.

Elizabethtown college at the close of her first half century and the opening of her second half century honors Pennsylvania's first citizen who has held many positions of honor and trust in the professional world and has served with distinction in public and civic affairs.

# Kugle, CPA, Joins Bus. Educ. Faculty; Others Assume New

Frank S. Kugle, the new assistant professor of business education, who began teaching marketing in post session will offer courses in elementary accounting problems and corporation accounting this semester.



#### **Name Bittinger McPherson Head**

A CPA graduate of Drexel Institute of Technology in 1946, he the first meeting of the year. Main and Company and accountant office manager for the Hudson Sales Corporation, both in Philadelphia, before coming to campus.

Professor Carl A. Heilman is returning to campus after an absence of three years as associate professor of mathematics and physics. Professor Heilman offered courses in summer and post sessions.

John A. Campbell, graduate of Franklin and Marshall college, will be a part-time instructor in mathematics and physics. For the past two years Mr. Campbell was instructor in Chemistry and Biology at Lycoming College.

Miss Emma Engle will teach two classes of Freshman English and serve as Head of Alpha hall and of the dining hall.

Joseph E. Dodd, the assistant dean of men, is also assistant coach Desmond W. Bittinger, '27, will and as such will have charge of the

#### Academic Procession **Opens Fall Convocation**

Upon the Honorable James H. Duff, governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, President A. C. Baugher will confer an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the Fall convocation program on Friday morning. The annual convocation combined with the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Charter Day will begin with an academic procession to the auditorium-gymnasium at 10:30 a. m.

The program follows:

Theme: The Church and Education Invocation Rufus P. Bucher, D.D. Chairman, Board of Trustees Elizabethtown College Hymn "Come Thou Almighty, King"

-Audience

Scripture Reading and Prayer -Nevin H. Zuck, S.T.M. Pastor, Church of the Brethren Elizabethtown

Vocal Solo David Albright, A.B. Instructor in Music Elizabethtown College

Introduction of Platform Guests Consideration of Theme

-Paul H. Bowman, LL.D. Timberville, Virginia Flute Solo Edgar Bitting '50

Address-The Hon. James H. Duff, Governor Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Violin Solo Nancy Basehore '53

Citation for Honorary Degree
—William C. Freeman, LL.D. Singing "America" Audience Benediction

J. Linwood Eisenberg, LL.D. (Continued on Page 3)

#### **Entertain Faculty** At Buffet Supper

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Baugher entertained the faculty at a buffet supper on Wednesday evening following

Other guests were Mrs. H. K. Ober, Rev. and Mrs. Bernard King, Mrs. Mary Ault, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Grubb, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Garman and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kettering.

#### **Dining Hall Uses** Two-seating Plan

Two dining room seating schedules will be in effect this year in order to accommodate two hundred students.

The double seating schedule will be in force from lunch on Monday through Friday lunch. At lunchtime the first seating will be at 11:30 a.m. and the second at 12:10 p.m. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m. and at | 6:10 p.m. Breakfast is not affected by this change.

Students will be required to show meal tickets at lunch and dinner until further notice. Meal tickets, like at all times to be shown upon re-Turn to page three

**Registration Begins** In Gymnasium

Dean H. G. Bucher announces that all students shall report to the auditorium-gymnasium for the initial step in their fall registration and then proceed to the offices of their respective faculty advisers for the planning of their courses of study. Registration will be complete after payment of bills in the business office.

rreshmen are to report for their preliminary registration today, sophomores and juniors tomorrow and seniors on Wednesday. The schedule of courses for the first semester appears on page four of this paper and will be used in the registration process. Students while in the auditorium-gymnasium will complete all registration forms except the class schedules which will be planned with their advisers.

The lists of advisers and advisees will be posted on the bulletin boards. Advisers will meet with students in the following rooms: Professor Elmer B. Hoover, room 126; Professor Galen C. Kilhefner, room 123; Dean of Women Vera R. Hackman, room 201; Dean of Men Eby C. Espenshade, alumni office, and Dean H. G. Bucher in the Dean's Office.

After the completion of their class schedules, students will pick up drivers' licenses, should be carried class cards at the office of the Dean and report to the business office for final validation of registration.

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#### **Deus Lux et Veritas**

These words, "God, Light and Truth" are imprinted in the smoke emanating from the lamp of learning on the seal of Elizabethtown College. These were the ideals of the founders and fifty years later these are the ideals for which we strive.

And so, "Educate for Service," the motto of our college signifies the way of life for each of us.

#### Welcome, Freshmen

For fifty years Elizabethtown college has been welcoming new students. The campus has vastly changed since those first years when Alpha Hall was the only building. The dress and customs have changed but the spirit of Elizabethtown college remains the same through the years.

To each new student entering the gates of this Christian college is extended a hearty welcome and a friendly handshake. The time you spend here will serve to mold your character and enrich your personality. You cannot help but be influenced by the forces operating around you. All will not be good; but each one will contain experiences from which you can eventually reap good.

Many of you freshmen will be away from home supervision and guidance for the first time. However, with lessening parental care and increasing independence comes greater responsibility. It is the responsibility of choosing not only for oneself but for the greater good of all. Heretofore, you have relied on your parents and other authority alone; now you will begin to select the correct paths yourselves.

While meeting new and strange situations, some of which may be unpleasant and difficult, always remember that your college is here for the purpose of aiding you to become an educated and mature person.

#### **And Then Comes October**

Crisp mornings, deep blue cloudless skies, rustling leaves, brilliantly colored landscapes, chirping flocks of departing birds and harvest moons are part of the autumn scene in this fertile Lancaster county area.

College hill is all hustle and bustle as the new fall session opens, reflecting the changing seasons. All about you the transition of nature from her summer flowering to her fall reaping is evident.

From the front windows of Alpha hall you can scan the Conewago hills with the vivid reds and yellows of trees against the horizon. Walking along Ridge road south of the campus, you gain a lovely view of the surrounding countryside with its farm buildings, small homes and fields of stacked corn.

When a large yellow moon is shining over Lake Placida with the weeping willow trees and rustling cattails, the resulting scene is one of exceptional beauty.

Big red rosy ripe apples lie on the ground or dangle from the branches of the apple trees to the west of Alpha hall. The bright scarlet berries of the dogwood trees along the college driveway contrast startlingly with the fading green leaves.

Every evening large groups of migrating birds swoop down on the Norway maples like dive bombers. The ground is bespeckled with birds until you cannot see the ground and the air is filled with their song until you can hear no other sound. You may be assured you won't need an alarm clock as the birds will awaken you in plenty of time for breakfast.

#### LET'S DO AWAY WITH THE LOCK-



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#### From the Editor's Desk

The purposes of a college newspaper, according to the Associated Collegiate Press, are: (1) to provide an organ of information that will present all the news desired by those who are actively interested in the institution—the students, faculty, administration, parents and alumni; (2) to provide an organ for the expression of student thought and to unify ideals and objectives; (3) to create a wholesome college spirit and to support the institution's best traditions; (4) to promote and encourage worthy college activities; (5) to promote scholarship; (6) to provide an outlet for the best creative work of students along the lines of writing, drawing and photography; (7) to create a desire for the best forms of journalism; (8) to record in permanent form the history of the institution.

Every well-conducted college newspaper endeavors to reach these objectives.

Your Etownian staff will carry out these objectives to the best of their ability.

Your interest, cooperation and help are welcomed.

## Harold Larrabee Writes for College Professors

American Association of University Professors Bulletin-(ACP)

If he's brand new at teaching, he lacks experience. If he's been teaching all his life, he's in a rut.

If he dresses decently, he's trying to be a fashion plate.

If he thinks about something besides clothes, he's a bum.

If he seldom admits a mistake, he's arrogant.

If he ever admits a mistake, he ought to go back to bricklaying.

If he plants an occasional joke in his lectures, he's a comedian.

If he never condescends to an academic nifty, he's duty dull.

If he goes to chapel with regularity, he's a hypocrite. If he shies at sermons, he's a heathen.

If he writes books, he's neglecting his teaching.

If he never publishes, he never had a thought worth printing.

If he hands out plenty of high grades, he has no standards.

If he hands out plenty of low grades, he's a butcher.

If he uses notes, he's unoriginal.

If he gets along without notes, he's an ad-libber.

If he sticks to his specialty, he's got a one-track mind.

If he tours the encyclopedia, he's a show-off.

If he can't identify Fritzie Zivic and Jack Kramer, he isn't human.

If he listens to sports broadcasts, he's illiterate.

If he gets paid for outside work, he's greedy. If he does outside work for nothing, he's a sucker.

If he stands up while teaching, he's oratorical.

If he sits down while teaching, his feet hurt.

If he's young, he needs more seasoning. If he's old, he's seen better days.

If he gives a lot of quizzes, he's a slave-driver.

If he seldom gives a test, he's too lazy to read papers.

If he gets his name in the newspapers, he's publicity mad. If he never appears in the public prints, he's so much deadwood.

If he takes an active part in faculty business, he's a politician. If he never serves on a committee, he's a work-dodger.

If he's on good terms with the president, he's a sycophant.

If he doesn't wear out the stairway from the Ad building, he's disloyal.

# Speaking of the Faculty

President A. C. Baugher's schedule of engagements until October 5 included an address at the Hershey community theatre to the 900 pupils of the Industrial School on September 11 in commemoration of the birthday of M. S. Hershey. That same afternoon President Baugher spoke at the Homecoming services of the Amwell Church of the Brethren, Lambertville, New Jersey.

On October third and fourth Dr. Baugher will attend the meeting of the Executive Committee of the General Brotherhood board in Elgin, Illinois.

Luella Fogelsanger Breitigan, assistant professor of business education, and Charles Luther Rowland, professor of music, Juniata college, were married August 22 in Huntsdale Church of the Brethren. The wedding luncheon was served to the members of the immediate families at the Allenberry, Boiling Springs.

After a two weeks' trip to the Thousand Islands and Canada, Professor and Mrs. Rowland are taking an apartment on the corner of Washington and 18th Streets, Huntingdon. Mrs. Rowland will continue teaching at Elizabethtown college.

Donald Blair was born to Professor and Mrs. Elmer B, Hoover on August 7.

Professor Carl Heilman, at the close of post session, attended a national conference for teachers of mathematics held in Massachusetts.

Dean Eby C. Espenshade plans to be absent from campus approximately three days a week as field representative for the college. Dean Espenshade intends to contact all the high schools in Lancaster, Dauphin, Lebanon, York, Cumberland, Adams and Perry counties to recruit seniors for the freshman class; he plans to cover parts of Mifflin, Juniata, Berks, Schuylkill, Northumberland, Montgomery, Delaware and Chester counties.

The dean expects to begin this project about the middle of October and anticipates its completion by April 1.

Professor and Mrs. E. G. Meyer spent their vacation at Lake Chautauqua, New York. Reverend and Mrs. Nevin H. Zuck also enjoyed part of their vacation at Lake Chautauqua.

Dr. Frederick C. Neuman and family vacationed at Avalon, New Jersey.

Dr. Charles S. Apgar was the photographer for the Pennsylvania Game Commission this summer.

Professor Galen C. Kilhefner directed the summer program at Camp Swatara in addition to teaching in the summer session.

Dr. Robert Eshelman taught for a week in the New Windsor Training School for Brethren Service volunteers

Dean and Mrs. H. G. Bucher spent a few days' vacation in the New England states.

## Eds and Coeds

Weddings head the list of doings of eds and coeds this summer. On June 3 it was Phyllis Druck and Donald Bohrer . . . later that month Enola Smith became the bride of Donald Rossell . . . Walter Gingrich's June bride was Alice Ruth Gettel . . . in July it was Mildred Beetem and Perry Hipple . . . on August 19 it was Betty Grimm and Glenn McCormick . . . the 26th was Jean Grubb and Roy Herr . . . and the 27th, Mildred Groff and Joseph Long . . . For September 3 two weddings—Carole DeVerter and Paul Meckley . . . and Mary Jane Mumma and Elwood Raber . . . announcement has been made of the engagement of Rosemarie Bender to Frederick L. Gantz, pre-theological student.

Hartmut von Hentig attended the Goethe Bicentennial celebration in Aspen, Colorado, and visited his brothers in California during summer vacation... Karl Kolva spent two weeks in active duty with the Army Air Force Reserves in Kentucky... Virginia Hixson is secretary to K. Ezra Bucher and switchboard operator... Joan Martin was working at the Capitol building in Harrisburg... Margaret Bose and Charmaine Fickes had summer positions in the York courthouse... Among those working at Hershey park were Martin Risser, Charles Wells, Robert Enterline and Charmar Hershey... Proctors for the men's dormitories are Paul J. Boltz, North hall; Jesse Sheetz, South hall and Matt Meyer, Memorial hall.

Paul Ebersole was a counselor at a Y.M.C.A. camp in western Pennsylvania . . . Joanna Wilson was secretary in the offices of Blue Cross Capital Hospital Service in Harrisburg . . . John Lichty will teach social studies and coach athletics in Conoy high school and continue studying here . . . Serving as aides in the Spring Grove mental hospital unit, Catonsville, Maryland, were: Maxine Bowman, Janet Myers, Jerry Weaver, Darwin Hollinger, Mervin Hess, Clyde Weaver and Ike Royer . . . John D. Lefever, '49, has a managerial position at the same hospital

#### FRESHMEN

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County enrollees include three students from Lititz: Carl J. Frederick, 319 N. Broad Street; Charles Roth, 315 Leaman Street, and Carlos R. Ziegler, 328 S. Broad Street.

Students from Christiana are Stanley Grill and Alice Weicksel. Landisville sends Phyllis Jane Dougherty and Kenneth G. Miller. From Manheim come H. Lamar Gibble, R. D. 3 and Fredrik I. Malmborg, R. D. 1.

Other Lancaster county students are Mildred A. Gingrich, East Petersburg; Harvey Groff, Salunga; Henry Kerchner, 303 S. State Street, Ephrata; Richard E. Lenox, Washingtonboro; Lillian C. Rutherford and George D. Sload, Bainbridge; Betty Anne Whitmore, New Holland; Nevin R. Snader, Akron; and Lucille Heisey, Lincoln.

Among the new students from Lebanon city and county are: Josephine I. Bowman, 635 Maple Street; Marilyn V. Deppe, R. D. 5; Cora Mae Gettel, 15th and Cumberland Streets; Verda E. Gibbel, R. D. 2; Nancy Ann Heatwole, 133 N. Grant Street, Palmyra; Sterling Krumbine, 433 E. Cumberland Street; Carlton B. Lehman, 613 S. Second Street; Ellis J. Shenk, Myerstown; James H. Underkoffler, 824 Lehman Street; and Levi J. Ziegler, Annville.

The York area sends Dale B. Berkheimer, Lincoln Highway West R. D. 6; Robert O. Cochran, 1210 W. King Street; John Consley, 205 Vernon Street; Walter Emig, R. D. 3, Spring Grove; Glenn E. Hamme, Spring Grove; Betty Ann Hammers, Stewartstown; Phyllis E. Saylor, Red Lion; and Charles L. Stitt, 1405 West Market Street.

Harrisburg students include John T. Bender, 2644 Waldo Street; John N. Bolton, 3906 Jonestown Road; Marshall House, 2719 Fifth Street; and Joseph Vallely, 342 Rumson Drive, Wilson Park.

From Middletown come James L. Helsel, Box 26; Thomas Kay, 433 Oak Hill Drive; June Marie Ramsberger, 411 Hoffer Street; Donald H. Reid, 234 Market Street; Ronald Edgar Bitting Sits Student Christian Movement, and Student Christian Movement, and getand Norman L. Shuey, 239 Pine

Other Dauphin county enrollees include Burton R. Shellhammer, 2711 S. Second Street, Steelton; and Shirley R. Warner, 619 West High Street, Hummelstown.

Cumberland county is sending Clarence E. Bivens and Jay W. Cook, Dillsburg and Betty L. Horn, Carlisle, R. D. 5.

Students from Montgomery county are Gordon H. Baver, Pennsburg; John W. Fenstermacher, 606 Mt. Vernon Street, Lansdale; Walton Z. Moyer, 327 Erie Avenue, Telford; Lucy J. Musselman, Vernfield: Roy A. Nuss, 308 N. Easton Road, Willow Grove; and Eleanore F. Talley, 314 W. Broad Street, Telford.

Remaining members of the freshman class include: Jean E. Bagenstose, Shoemakersville; Laura Mae Boone, Loganton; Mesia Butterbaugh, 903 Third Avenue, Altoona; Ellsworth M. Dean and John I. Dean, Jr., McClure; Miriam R. Douple, 1754 Portland Avenue, West Lawn; Thomas W. Edwards, 1500 Washington Street, Huntingdon; William A. Ellsworth, Stetlersville; Joseph M. Forney, Thompsontown; William R. Harlin, 1117 Mifflin Street, Huntingdon; Charles A. Horbach, 32 Hoffman Boulevard, Ashland; JoAnn R. Mathias, 307 Park Street, Waynesboro; Jean C. Miller, 107 W. Greenwood Avenue, Lansdowne; Charles W. Reidlinger, Duncannon; Dorothy R. Ritter, Rich- Daniel Hoopert.

#### Who's Who in Student Government







L. to R.—Mervin Hess, president of Senate and Student Association; La Rue Monn, president Women's Council; Harold E. Ebersole, president Men's Council.

#### Boltz, Weaver Pitch Summer Softball; Dr. Falkenstein Win Games from Kiwanis, Palmyra

Winning five out of a ten-game summer softball schedule, the men boarding students played neighboring teams from Ephrata, Palmyra, Mount Joy and Minersville. With blue Elizabethtown emblems on white polo shirts, the Blue Jays were victorious in their first three home games.

After losing two games to Ephrata, the team took two games from Palmyra. The season ended with three defeats for Elizabethtown from Minersville and Mount Joy.

Plans are being made for a more extensive recreation program next summer with the possibility that the Blue Jays would have a team to enter in the local league.

Game Scores

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Min'ville 4

Min'ville 9

Mt. Joy 9

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scores are as follows:

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Ken'th Weaver	
Wilbur Graham	
Russell Peters	
Harry Shuster	
Gerald Burdick	
Robert Graham	
Ernest Ganz	
John Lichty	
Louis Elliott	
G. McCormick	
Robert Detwiler	
Tryon Benner	
G. Fahnestock	
Jesse Sheetz	

set-up and game
Position
Pitcher-Catcher
Pitcher
Catcher
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1st base
2nd base
Short Stop
3rd Base
Left Field
Center Field
Right Field
Outfield
Outfield
Outfield
Infield

On Senate for Clubs

Edgar Bitting, president of the

Comerciantes, has been elected by

the club presidents as their repre-

sentative in the student senate.

Clubs are expected to submit their

programs to Mr. Bitting as early in

the year as possible so that they

may be placed on the school activ-

landtown; and Nelson H. Kline,

Latest admissions include Walter

Nickle, Earl Stoner, Earl Thomas,

Robert Zellers, Mary Greenawalt,

Frederick Ranck, Harold Geib and

ities calendar.

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# **Dies at Ninety**

Dr. George N. Falkenstein, first acting president of Elizabethtown college, died August 17 at the age of ninety years. President A. C. Baugher officiated at his funeral held at Bupp's Union church near York.

Doctor Falkenstein was called to the pastorate of the mother congregation in Germantown and there wrote The History of the German Baptist Brethren church which passed through three editions.

Doctor Falkenstein is survived by his wife and six children: Holmes of Philadelphia; Mrs. Lillian Willoughby of Harrisburg; Alexander of Philadelphia; Esther Hill, Clovis, New Mexico; Lois Miller, with whom he resided, and George of

## SCM Holds Mid-week Vespers By Lake; Cabinet Meets Saturday to Plan Year

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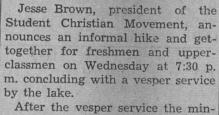
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isters of Elizabethtown will meet with the new students for informal talks in the auditorium-gymnasium.

President Brown is calling a retreat for cabinet members on Saturday at 1:15 p. m. in room 201 to plan this year's program of action. Among the topics discussed will be: (1) choice of a project; (2) religious activities program for October; (3) plans for Bible Institute Week; (4) Thanksgiving service and Christmas

The aim of the SCM is to make available to all students a Christian program including worship services, interest groups, religious movies, guest speakers, service projects and social action.

#### DINING HALL PLAN

(Continued from Page One) quest. These tickets are not transferable and will only be valid for the seating arrangement which is stated upon them.

Miss Emma Engle, head of the college dining hall, reports that the permanent double seating schedule dents are urged to attend. will be initiated at Thursday lunchtime. For Tuesday and Wednesday, a temporary dining room arrangement will be posted on all bulletin boards. All students are requested Freshmen activities will conclude to consult these schedules for their mealtime and seating plan.



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el where they will meet Rev. Nevin Zuck, the college pastor, who will speak on the traditions and background of this college. Later in the afternoon there will be a softball game at 3:30 p.m.

Concluding the day, the Deans are planning a party at 8 p.m. to which as many day students as possible as well as all boarding stu-

A tour of the Masonic Homes conducted by Professor Mahlon Hellerich and Dr. Robert Eshleman will begin at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday. 7:30 p.m.

#### The Etownian Lists Senior Placements

Of the 106 graduates of this year, the majority have either accepted positions or made plans to continue their education. The June issue of the Etownian reported 35 place-

In addition to these the following are teaching in the elementary field: John Buch, eighth grade, Marietta; Anna Jean Hilsher, Washington School, West Donegal; Elizabeth Kaylor, Landisville; Mary Brown Reber, Lower Paxton; Miriam Roland, Dillsburg; Anna Kepner, Mechanicsburg.

Graduates teaching secondary school subjects in surrounding high schools include: Albert Brayman, English and Social Studies, Dallastown; Vernon Bricker, mathematics and assistant coach, Palmyra; Stanley Dotterer, science and music, East Donegal; Richard Gaus, Commercial, Rothsville; William Hollenbaugh, Commercial, Cornwall; Mary Lemon, languages, Paradise.

Business majors are placed as follows: Harry Beyer, own linoleum store in Elizabethtown; Robert Garrett, statistician at the Mechanicsburg Naval Supply Depot; Kenneth Goodhart, sales training program of Atlantic Oil Company; Willard Hershey, accounting for Ephrata Telephone Company; Perry Hipple, bookkeeping for Classic Hosiery, Elizabethtown.

Additional business graduates are: Raymond Hipple, special agent for Provident Mutual Life Insurance, Harrisburg; Richard Kuntz, selling and accounting, Farm Elevator Company, Paradise; Donald Moll, sales training program, Pomeroy's, Harrisburg; Robert Nation, bookkeeper, Elizabethtown College; Donald Neiser, chemist, Hamilton Watch Company, Lancaster; Clair Schlosser, salesman, Reynolds Brokerage Agency, York; and Winfield Zerphey, cost accounting, Acme Stores, Philadelphia.

Harold Fellenbaum is attending the University of Maryland Dental School and J. Earl Musser, the Eastern Baptist Seminary.

Robert Hutter is reporting for the Lancaster newspapers and Walter Gingrich is a bacteriologist for the Wyeth Corporation, Marietta.

#### CONVOCATION

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Following the program platform guests and members of the board of trustees will be guests of the college at a luncheon in the dining room of the Lutheran church, Elizabethtown.

#### STUDENT GOV. CONF.

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At this meeting President Baugher discussed the 50th anniversary celebration and the new library. Dr. Bucher spoke on placement of this year's seniors and future placements:

Mr. K. Ezra Bucher discussed the financial operation of the college and explained how the student activities fund operates. Following a general discussion the student government representatives were entertained at a luncheon at the Penn Harris.

#### Center Hall Addition 'Home' for 15 Students

In spite of the construction of Center hall accommodating fifteen men and connecting North and South halls, fifteen additional men students had to be placed downwith an SCM sponsored vespers at town, according to Dean of Men. Eby C. Espenshade.

#### **News of Alumni**

Dr. J. I. Baugher, '23, brother of of Harrisburg. President A. C. Baugher, died Augcollege, member of the faculty of Redeemer, Philadelphia. Manchester college, and as superintendent of the Derry Township Dau-

Doctor Baugher was a graduate recently. of Elizabethtown college and Columbia university. He is survived bride of Myron H. Barnet on Aug- ferred to major in agricultural econ- June 19, of George De Frehn, '47, by his wife, his father and seven ust 17. They will reside in High-omics. children: Mrs. Floyd Whistler of spire. Annville, Stanford L. of Hershey, Norman J. of Long Beach, Califor- tory technician at Middletown Hos- 11. Beulah Barnthouse, '49, and were married in their new home lege.

nia, Galen B. of York, Earl R. of pital, Middletown, Ohio. Palmyra, Edwin S. and Wilfred G.

ust 25 at the age of sixty. He had ald, '36, is now serving as the pasaccounting throughout the Main- Marvland, Church of the Brethren. served as president of Bridgewater tor of the Methodist church of the tenance and Supply Depots.

as choir master at the Christ Evan- York county. He was graduated Bura edition of the New Testament. phin County Pennsylvania schools. gelical Lutheran church, Lancaster,

Nancy K. Reider, '45, became the

Lt. Col. Charles S. Smith, X-'35, bridesmaids. is enjoying reading the Etownian in The Reverend W. Lewis MacDon- Japan where he is installing cost sistant pastor of the Hagerstown, tary school.

Harold R. Hunt, '45, was installed named assistant county agent in over in London to read proofs on a ing the summer months. with honors from Pennsylvania State college on June 6. After two

Elizabeth Roop, '48, is a labora- Guthrie were married September Sprout, '49, and John Greiner who and instructor at Messiah Bible Col-

Ruth Zimmerly, '49, were the near Mt. Joy on August 27.

Carl Myers, '46, is serving as as-

Sara C. Shissler, '18, flying home Summer marriages among the

and Betty Hetrick in the Hershey

Nancy Bucher Ziegler, '48, is now teaching in the Mount Joy elemen-

Russell Kiscaden, president of the class of '48, was assistant supervisor Charles B. Forney, X-'49, has been on furlough from Africa, stopped of the Columbia playgrounds dur-

Ruth Mumma, '48, and Mary Brubaker, '47, served during the sumalumni include those of Kenneth mer in relief work in Stuttgart, years at Elizabethtown he trans- Hetrick, '48, and Hertha Slaughter Germany, under the Mennonite Central Committee.

Mary Heisey, '46, leaves Knifley, Winifred Knox, '49, and Clarence Lutheran Church, and of Dorothy Kentucky, to become school nurse

# First Semester Schedule of Courses and Instructors, 1949-1950

Time	Mon., Wed., Fri. Classes		Room	Inst.	Time	Tues., Thurs. Classes		Room	Inst.
7:40	Basic Math. Gen. Chem. (Lect.) Fri1 Hist. of U. S. & Pa. German Int. to Philosophy Curr. in Arith.	10a 10a-b 30ab 20ab 41a 21a	287 286 201 125 341 123	CEH OFS MH FCN RWS EH	7:40	College Algebra Sur., Bibl. Hist. A Prin., Elem. Ed. Shakespeare Int. to Accounting Qualitat. Anal.	11a. 10ab 41a 40ab 11b 20a	287 341 189 201 126 281	CEH MM EH RWS KEB OFS
8:35	Gen. Chem. (Lect.) M, W-I & II Gen. Chem. (Lect.) F-II Integ. Calculus Ec. & Ind. Geog. Mod. Europ. Hist. Spanish Tch. Geography (M. W.) Office Practice Chapel Choir (16)	10a-b 30a 21ab 20ab 10a-b 29ab 25ab	286 287 189 341 125 123 124 Ch.	OFS OFS CEH RFE MH FCN EH LFB DA	8:35	College Algebra Comp. Anatomy (Lect.) Sur., Bibl. Hist. B Prin., Second. Ed. Speech Machine Practice Tch. Hlth. & Hyg. Int. to Accounting Qualitat. Anal. (Lab.)	11a 30b 10ab 42a 21a 25b 36ab-22ab 11b 20a	287 181 341 189 286 124 123 126 281	CEH CSA MM EH RWS LFB IRH KEB OFS
9:30	Chapel	-			9:30	* , Chapel			
10:05	Gen. Physiology Adv. Quant. Anal. General Physics Prin. of Economics Econ. Hist., U. S. German **English Comp. Tax Accounting (4) Adv. Shorthand French Eng. Comp. A	31b 41a 20a-b 30ab 40a 10a-b 10ab 43a 23ab 20ab 10ab	181 185 287 189 Ch. 125 341 126 123 286 201	CSA OFS JC RFE MH EBN ERE FSK LFB KNH VRH	10:05	Teaching of Jesus Practice Teaching Speech Elem. Acct. Prob. Male Chorus (25) Phys. Ed. (Women) *Gen. Chem. (LabTh.) I-9:30 Comp. Anatomy (Lab.) Qualitat. Anal. (Lab.) Gen. Biol. (LabTu.) III Gen. Physics (LabTu.) I	30a 43a 21a 30b 30b 20a	201 189 286 126 Ch. Gym 281 181 185 181 287	MM EH RWS FSK DA IRH JC CSA OFS CSA JC
11:00	General Biology Histology Organic Chemistry Internat. Rel'ns French Gen. Psychology Educat. Psychol. Modern Drama (M, W) Typewriting A	20a-b 43a 30a-b 45b 30ab 10a 30a 42ab 12ab	189 181 201 123 125 286 126 Ch. 122	CSA CSA ACB MH FCN GCK HGB RWS LFB	11:00	Elem. Acct. Prob. Organic Chemistry Gen. Chem. (LabTh.) I Comp. Anatomy (Lab.) Qualitat. Anal. (Lab.) Gen. Biol. (LabTu.) III Gen. Physics (LabTu.) I History of Music	30b 30a-b 10a-b 30b 20a	126 201 281 181 281 181 287 Ch.	FSK ACB JC CSA OFS CSA JC DA
11:55	Lunch A Cappella Choir (24)		Ch.	DA	11:55	Lunch			
1:15	Analytical Geom. Physical Chem. German Corp. Finance Shorthand Journalism Rural Sociology Physiology (Lab.) **English Comp. Gen. Psychology A	20a 44a-b 30ab 31a 10ab 25a-b 31a 31b 10ab 10a	287 286 125 126 123 201 189 181 341 286	CEH OFS FCN FSK LFB VRH RFE CSA ERE GCK	1:15	Biblical Lit. Business Law (Tu.) Corporation Acct. Apprec. of Music Gen. Chem. (LabTu.) II Gen. Biol. (LabTu.) I Gen. Physics (LabTh.) II	20ab 34ab 20a 10ab 10a-b 20a-b	201 341 126 Ch. 281 181 287	MM SW FSK GRM JC CSA JC
2:10	Physical Sci. Bible Doct. (M, W) Spanish Family Sociology Hist., Eng. Lit. Business Math. Adv. Typewriting Personnel Admin. French Phys. Educ. (MonM, W) Physiology (Lab.)	10a-b 40ab 20ab 43b 20ab 11a 22ab 40 10a-b	287 201 125 341 286 126 122 189 123 Gym 181	JC MM FCN GCK RWS FSK LFB RFE KNH IRH CSA	2:10	Business Law (Tu.) Corporation Acct. Pub. Sch. Music Gen. Chem. (LabTu.) II Org. Chem. (LabTu.) Gen. Biol. (LabTu.) I Gen. Physics (LabTh.) II	34ab 20a 28ab 10a-b 30a-b 20a-b	341 126 Ch. 281 281 181 287	SW FSK DA JC OFS CSA JC
3:05	Spanish Criminology Hist., Eng. Lit. Busi. Statistics Typewriting Phys. Educ. (Mon-M, W) Physiology (Lab.) Argument. & Debate	30ab 40b 20ab 45a 12ab 31b 34a	125 341 286 126 122 Gym 181 201	FCN GCK RWS FSK LFB IRH CSA MH	3:05	Business Law (Tu.) Phys. Educ. (Women) Gen. Chem. (LabTu.) II Org. Chem. (LabTu.) Gen. Biol. (LabTu.) IV	34ab 10a-b 30a-b 20a-b	341 Gym 281 281 181	SW IRH JC OFS CSA
4:00	Physiology (Lab.) Argument. & Debate	31b 34a	181 201	CSA MH	4:00	App. of Art (4-6 Tu.) Med. Sec. Sci. Org. Chem. (LabTu.) Gen. Biol. (LabTu.) IV	11ab 14b 30a-b 20a-b	287 286 281 181	HB CEW OFS CSA
7:00 to 10:00	Astronomy (Tues.) Physical Sci. (Tues.) Orchestra (Th. 7-8)	42a 10a-b		CEH JC GH				A. 9 6	

<sup>\*\*</sup>English Composition—extra period, Tuesday or Thursday.

One Dollar Per Year

# Dr. F. K. Stamm Addresses Alumni; Gov. Duff Speaks Tea, Soccer for Homecoming, Oct. 29

#### Lake Placida Scene **Frosh-Soph Contest**

The annual alumni homecoming will open on Saturday, October 29, with a meeting of the alumni council in the alumni office at 9:00 a.m.

Following this meeting, the council will have luncheon in the dining room at 11:30 a.m. At 1:00 p.m. the annual freshman-sophomore tug of war will be held at Lake Placida. A soccer game with Maryland State Teachers college will start at 2:00

At 3:00 p.m. there will be a tea in the Alpha Hall living room. From 3-5 p.m. there will be open house in the dormitories.

Dr. Frederick Keller Stamm, noted author, preacher, and lecturer, will present a lecture on "What One Person Can Do" in the auditoriumgymnasium at 8:00 p.m.

#### Pres. Wilbur Beahm Reports to Alumni

Wilbur Beahm, president of the alumni association, reports that there are 198 life members. President Beahm in his "state of the nation" letter to the alumni said, "Let's help the fiftieth anniversary by gaining fifty additional life members."



Wilbur Beahm

to look the new buildings over at dia and Europe to study church homecoming." The president was mission and relief programs. He referring to Center Hall and the new library.

In the same letter the alumni were urged to match the anonymous \$5000 gift received on convocation services will be presented in the

#### Evening Classes Enroll Sixty-seven Students

Evening classes are now in ses-Qualitative Analysis and Appreciaevening students.

Heilman, Harry Book and Dr. O. F. tian education. A program on the one of 32 scientists from U. S. and Stambaugh are the instructors.

tion of Arts reached 35 students.



Dr. Frederick Keller Stamm

will address the alumni on homeand at the Theological Seminary in Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

A pastor for several years, Dr. Stamm now devotes his time to writing and lecturing. From June 1 until September 30 Dr. Stamm can be heard on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock over NBC on the program called "Highlights of the Bible."

His latest book is "Keeping Men on Their Feet." Dr. Stamm is known to many as "the Man With the Velvet Voice."

#### Bowman and Metzler **Direct Bible Institute**

Dr. Burton Metzler and Dr. Rufus D. Bowman will share their experiences with a Brethren audience during Bible Institute Week convening on campus November 13-20.

Professor of philosophy and religion at McPherson college, Kansas, Doctor Metzler, who served in the Institute a decade ago has long been a writer for the Brethren Bible Study Monthly. He will devote his talk to a study of the Book of Ro-

Bethany Biblical Seminary, Chicago, has been identified with the Brethren foreign missionary program and He further stated, "You will want has recently traveled in China, Inwill speak of his experiences during this tour.

> Morning chapel services from November 14 to 17 and daily evening college chapel.

In connection with the Institute program, four sermons will be held during the week. On Monday, November 14 a student seminar headed by Prof. Galen C. Kilhefner will sion. Physical Science, Astronomy, take place. Faculty seminar to be conducted by Dr. A. C. Baugher will tion of Arts are being offered to 67 take place on November 15 while ology and Medical Physics at Hahnon November 16, Levi K. Ziegler emann Medical College and radiol-Professors John Campbell, Carl will supervise a seminar on Chris- ogist at Hahnemann Hospital was ministry and missions will be led foreign countries to take a one-

# **At Fall Convocation**

convocation address at Elizabethtown college charter day program September 23, hit hard "minority groups which are interested in particular things with the purpose of getting advantages for themselves regardless of others."

He went on to speak of incentive and initiative saving, "I vield to no one in the desire to take care of those who need it, but. I am opposed to the state doing things for people that ought to do things for themselves." On incentive he said, "the trend of the present government is to crush incentive. We need the kind of thinking that considers not a segment but all of the population."

Following the governor's speech, Dr. William C. Freeman of Cornwall cited the Governor before Pres. A. C. Baugher conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws, saying, "while Gov-Dr. Frederick Keller Stamm, who ernor Duff has held many positions of honor and trust in the profescoming, is well acquainted with this sional world, he has not overlooked region. He received his education those fields of cultural and spiritual Rufus Eby Appointed at Franklin and Marshall college responsibility befitting a Christian gentleman."

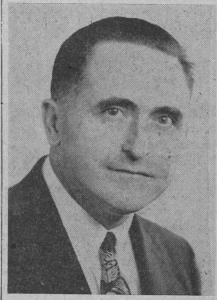
After the convocation Governor (Continued on Page 4)

#### 390 Students Enrolled Includes 143 Veterans

Elizabethtown College opened its enrollment of 390 students. Of this class work; 11 are special students approved at the Fall District meetand 24 are evening students.

Dean Henry G. Bucher announced that 71 seniors, 89 juniors, 65 sophomores and 130 freshmen registered, with 143 veterans represented. These figures will change at the be-

# F&M Awards President Baugher LLD Governor James H. Duff in his Wins Second Honor, Phi Beta Kappa



Rufus K. Eby

Rufus K. Eby was elected in May by the active members of the Alumni Association to the Board of institution he served as professor Trustees. Mr. Eby and two other nominees had previously been approved by the board. His name will fiftieth regular session with a total now be submitted to the Eastern and Southern districts of the Church number, 355 are doing full time of the Brethren for approval. If ings, he will serve a three year term beginning January 1, 1950.

Mr. Eby was graduated from Elizabethtown College in 1926. He served on the Board of Trustees from 1939 to 1941 and on the Alumginning of the second semester when ni Council from 1943 to 1948. At accelerated students reach a higher present he is the assistant principal of the Hershey High School.

#### **Seven Others Cited** On Founder's Day

Dr. A. C. Baugher recently received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster. Along with Harold E. Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania and seven others, he was awarded the degree at the institution's one hundred and sixty-third annual Founders' Day exercises on Octo-

A second honor bestowed was his formal initiation into the Theta Chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa of F. & M. for "high scholastic merits

Educated at both Elizabethtown and Franklin and Marshall colleges, Doctor Baugher received his Master of Science degree from the University of Pennsylvania and his Doctor of Philosophy from New York university. He began his career at Elizabethtown as a student teacher in 1916 and prior to his appointment as president of the of chemistry and dean of the col-

"I feel most honored and happy that Franklin and Marshall has chosen me for one of the most coveted degrees that any institution can grant," Doctor Baugher commented.

Active in the councils of the Church of the Brethren Doctor Baugher is also the author of many published religious articles.

#### Brotherhood Board Calls President to Elgin Parley

The activities of the president for the coming weeks range from trips to Elgin, Illinois, to meetings in Hershey. On October 24 and 25 Doctor Baugher will attend a meeting of the Pennsylvania Association of Colleges to be held at the Her-

The district meeting of Southern broad program of research, training Pennsylvania will be held on Ocand education in the nuclear sci- tober 26 at Chambersburg and on ences through a contract with the November 2 and 3, Doctor Baugher Atomic Energy Commission. The will attend the district meeting of laboratories and facilities available Eastern Pennsylvania to be held at

The Brotherhood Board of the Church of the Brethren will be held Radioisotopes are atoms which at Elgin, Illinois, from November 7 give off radiation and thus enable to 12. President Baugher is chairthe scientist, using a Geiger Count- man of the Christian Education committee.

#### Dr. Samuel V. Geyer Chosen to Study Nuclear Physics at Oak Ridge, Tenn., Institute



Dr. Samuel V. Geyer

Dr. Samuel V. Geyer, 1928 Delancey Place, Philadelphia, an instructor in the departments of Radi-Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies. in 1942

The Institute, comprised of 19 shey Hotel, Hershey. Southern universities, conducts a to scientists in the program are Middle Creek. among the finest of their kind for training in the world.

er, to trace them through complicated chemical and biological processes. As a result, radioisotopes have been called the most important research tool to be developed since the invention of the microscope.

Oak Ridge is the center of radioisotope production and training in present at the Oak Ridge National something new for the college. Laboratory.

#### Dr. Carlton S. Smith On Campus Oct. 27

Dr. Carlton Sprague Smith, noted this country. The most economical lecturer and flutist will be on cammethod of producing radioisotopes pus from October 26 - 29 to present is to subject small quantities of an a public lecture, to meet with stuelement to neutron bombardment dent groups and to give a flute conin the uranium chain-reacting pile cert. The program represents

Dr. Smith who comes under the Dr. Geyer received his B. S. de- auspices of the American Associagree in science from Elizabethtown tion of Colleges will give a public college in 1939 and was graduated lecture Thursday, October 27, on Highest enrollment in Apprecia- by Dr. H. G. Bucher on November month course offered by the Oak from Hahnemann Medical College the subject "Europe Today" and

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#### We Congratulate President Baugher

It is with pride that the students and faculty of Elizabethtown college congratulate Dr. A. C. Baugher on his recent award, the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws granted to him by Franklin and Marshall college.

Dr. Baugher, who has fostered Christian education through his many years of service in the field of higher education, has always been an outstanding example of a man who has humbly accepted all awards due him, but who still realizes the need for greater advancements and opportunities so that the motto of our college "educate for service" will ever be a glowing aim.

#### Student Government Depends Upon You

All students are members of the Student Government Association of Elizabethtown college and as such should know the purpose and responsibilities of their organization.

The inescapable legal responsibility for this college or any other college rests upon the board of trustees who have established, operated and will maintain the institution as a public trust. Since obviously they cannot perform the actual functions of an educational institution, they select a president and faculty and provide the necessary equipment. These are all to be used as the purpose of the college indicates and for which money was provided by gifts, endowments and students' fees.

Therefore, the basic purpose of student government is the same as the basic purpose of college which is to produce the most wholesome society by educational means.

In the original charter fifty years ago, the purpose was stated thus: "to give such harmonious development to the physical, mental, and moral powers of both sexes as will best fit them for the duties of life and promote their spiritual interests."

As part of the machinery of this college administration the student government by necessity has been given delegated powers.

"The Rudder" contains a copy of the constitution of Elizabethtown College Student association. Familiarize yourself with the duties, responsibilities and privileges of this constitution. Also learn to know your student leaders whose names and office are listed in "The Rudder."

By doing this you will gain a better understanding of the principles involved in student government. In the last analysis the success of student government rests with the individual student.

#### **Welcome Old Grads**

The college, ever interested in its alumni, welcomes home its old grads on Saturday, October 29. "I'd hardly recognize the place" and "How the old place has changed!" will undoubtedly be frequently heard over the campus.

With mixed feelings of nostalgia and pride, we anticipate the warm pleasure of familiar greetings exchanged in our midst—an interchange of experiences undergone in the college of life. For you, the alumni, this day will offer a preview of the long range program now in progress at the college; it will be, too, an opportunity for you to have contact with the students here now and to sense more fully what is taking place at your alma mater.

To you, old grads, we extend the hand of warm friendly concern in the welcome planned for you on this, your day.



"After capping his millionth bottle, he began screaming: "Can You Top This?" Can You Top This?"

# Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Each year five prizes are given at commencement for high scholastic achievement in the fields of Bible, Chemistry, Biology, Accounting and Journalism. Of course we should reward those who have shown their competence in various fields, but are we going far enough? Education is something more than a theory of the universe, an idea about man or any intellectual formula whatsoever. Being a well educated person involves the ability to practice as well as to know, the ability to inspire as well as to teach.

Christian statesmanship goes beyond scholastic achievement. It is a quest, a search, a motivation which seeks to grapple with the basic realities of life. Would it not be consistent with the purpose of a Christian college to give recognition to one who seems to excell in this area?

Therefore, I would like to see a representative group (faculty, administration, students) annually choose a student for the prize in Christian statesmanship to be given at Commencement. The student chosen would be one who: possesses strong Christian character; demonstrates his service to the college, church and community; and "gives promise of success in the 'business of living'."

Hopefully yours, Clyde E. Weaver.

## Overture to Autumn

Falling leaves — fading sun
Browning fields — harvest done
Past the heat of summer's day
Gone the flowers that came with May
School bells ring on yonder hill
School boys approach — without a will
Summer's games are put away
Study now replaces play.

# Freshmen on Campus

It is evident that Elizabethtown college appeals to the freshmen. Barbara Bowman, who lives in Ludlowville, New York, states that she likes Elizabethtown "because it is a small church college where friendliness and a Christian atmosphere prevail." In similar words C. Frederick Horbach from Ashland says, "The sincere, friendly attitude of faculty and students has made my first few weeks at college completely enjoyable."

A willingness on the part of students and faculty to aid in solving certain problems was stressed. Concerning this, Harry Strickland of Philadelphia wrote, "I'm sure that no one would hesitate for a moment to lend a helping hand to any of us at any time." And Josephine Bowman from Lebanon agrees also that "the personal contacts with the faculty" are commendable and beneficial.

Many were further impressed with the unique attractiveness of the campus. Words such as "beautiful" and "well-kept" were liberally used. Cora Mae Gettel of Sebring, Florida summed up this phase by stating that Elizabethtown has "a picturesque campus which appeals to most young people"

Levi Zeigler, Campbelltown, commented upon the "program, life on the campus, and environment" of the college. Elsie Bomgardner from near Elizabethtown offered this: "When it comes to recreation you can always count on a good time—singing and participating in games which everyone enjoys."

Perhaps most of the freshmen would agree with H. Lamar Gibble from Manheim who maintains, "In nearly all its respects I find little fault," or with Marilyn Deppe from Lebanon R. D. who believes that Elizabethtown College "makes us feel as though we, too, belong"."

# Coed Poll Reveals What's Wrong With Men

Miami, Florida—(ACP)

A list of what girls dislike most in men has been compiled from a wide assortment of University coeds by Miami Hurricane feature writers:

Heading the list, and running neck-and-neck, are dirty fingernails and conceit. "God's gift to women," and he who "constantly tries to prove he's a college yo-yo," are definitely taboo. Dirty and bitten-down fingernails are not only taboo—"They are strictly repulsive," according to the long-nailed coeds.

"Men who can't stop talking about how much money they spend, who can only talk about cars and how fast they can make them go, who boast, generally, about every phase of their lives, and who always try to be the life of the party," are heatrily condemned.

Vulgar language, sloppy dressers, and men needing a shave, come high on the list of dislikes. Cigars, beards, suspenders, and moustaches are generally condemned. Bad manners, table and otherwise, are unappreciated by the gals. The "overbearingly temperamental male is very hard to endure," said one of those interviewed.

Sarcastic men, loud men, lazy men, and those with shallow, insensitive natures are among the banned. "I like a fellow who has ambition—who can talk about something besides the race track and cars," is the way one coed put it.

Male superiority complexes come at the head of the list. "The kind of boy who thinks he's superior in intellectual ability to the female—tells you what to wear, criticizes every little thing about you, insists on choosing the evening's entertainment."

#### Men Reply with Coed Deficiencies

Delaware, Ohio—(ACP)

Men at Ohio Wesleyan were quick to reply to the Florida poll with their tabulation of what's wrong with women:

The consensus was that painted fingernails in run-down condition compare quite favorably with the men's dirty fingernails condemned by the coeds. One chap inferred that some women paint their nails to cover up the dirt.

One male complained about women being late for dates saying that many coeds take the stand that if they are on time for a date, they are showing too much interest. Accordingly, they show up anywhere from 10 to 40 minutes late. They also "tend to put too much emphasis on the amount of money possessed by their date," he continued.

Another interviewee begged that women at least "try to act natural without affecting the mannerisms of a sickening teen-ager attempting to play house."

## Eds and Coeds

The Etownian won a first class excellent rating in the All-American Critical Service of the Associated Collegiate Press for the second semester of last

The paper was compared with others in the same group of monthly publications of colleges with an enrollment of less than 500. This achievement was effected under Sara Swartz, editor.

According to the Associated Collegiate Press, "student newspapers of today are far superior to those of 10 years ago. Each year improvements are noted and as a result standards are higher. This constant improvement means that no matter how good a newspaper may have been yesterday, it is surpassed today, unless it too has progressed."

During their rush season the Continental Press hired the following students for part time work: Bill Helm, Kenneth Reighard, Gerald Roland, Matt Meyer, Earl Ziegler, Walt Moyer, Lois Keim, Mary Lau, Martha Lutz, Dorothy Ritter, Barbara Nelson, Janice Anderson and LaRue Monn.

Cora Mae Gettel, a freshman, reports that her home town—Sebring, Florida—was hit by the hurricane which swept through the southern seacoast this summer.

The day student girls have all been listening in open-mouthed amazement to Norma Landis' tales of carrying her "sticky-bun" to classes since his ankle was hurt in the soccer game.

Apples have become the favorite mid-night snack for many of the students in North, South and Center

The worried students with pencils behind their ears who are carrying note books, going in and out of offices, and tapping people on the shoulder are journalism students on their first assignment. Last Friday they took a field trip to the Elizabethtows Chronicle plant.

#### All Clubs Meet for Year's Planning; **Choral Club to Present Two Concerts**

The Choral Club, mother organ-' ization of all music groups on campus, will be headed by Clyde Weaver with Cora Mae Gettel serving as secretary-treasurer.

Out of this group, consisting of 65 members, comes the a cappella choir, male chorus, men's and women's quartets and the chapel choir.

Two concerts will be presented. The first will be a Christmas program in the auditorium-gymnasium on December 13 followed by a program in the Spring.

The Choral Club was entertained on last evening at the home of the president of the club.

Regular meetings are held every Monday from 9 to 10 p.m.

#### Science Club

The science club began its year's program with a fishing excursion on the Chesapeake Bay.

Club members attending included Stanley Dietrich, Zeigler Heilman, Robert Trimmer, Harold Ebersole, Darvin Hollinger, Charles Shaffer and Jesse Sheetz. The faculty was also invited and those who traveled with the group were Dr. Charles Apgar, adviser to the club, Dr. O. F. Stambaugh, Professor Carl Heilman, Professor Galen W. Herr and Miss Alice Sylvester.

The first Monday of each month, president Jesse Sheetz reported, would be the regular meeting night. He also stated that a membership drive would be started within a month or two.

#### Sock and Buskin

The initial meeting of the Sock and Buskin Club was held October 11 in the chapel. Plans for the coming year were presented by the officers to the members for their approval. After approving these plans, the club resolved to hold their meetings the second and fourth Monday of each month. Notices for new members will be posted about the college and all upperclassmen with acting ability are urged to place their names upon them.

Freshmen are ineligible for membership the first semester but may try for a place in the organization the second. Members are taken in only upon evidence of acting ability. Officers for the year are: Jean Herr, president; Joseph Long, vicepresident; Pauline Nissley, secretary; and Ben Ebersole, treasurer.

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Hartmut von Hentig was the guest speaker at the first meeting of the Mrs. Ira Herr, faculty adviser to the club and French teacher.

Mr. von Hentig spoke on conditions in France and his journeys through that country.

A membership drive was also within several weeks.

#### Comerciantes

The Comerciantes meeting last evening planned a field trip and membership drive, Edgar Bitting announced.

The purpose of the field trip is to study the I.B.M. (International Business Machine) thoroughly. New members will be taken into the club at the November meeting. Freshmen are not eligible during their first semester on campus.

Professor Frank Kugle of the department of business education is the faculty adviser to the club this

#### J. Whitacre Attends **National FTA Meeting**

James Whitacre, '50, president of the local chapter of the Future ous places and denominations is con-Teachers of America, attended the fourth Institute of Organization Leadership at the American University in Washington, D. C.

Whitacre, also vice-president of the Pennsylvania F. T. A., was one of more than 90 teachers and educators to attend the institute. In addition to state and local education association officers, there appeared the National Education staff officers as well as students from Alaska, England, Australia, New Zealand and Japan.

Plans are made for our college club to inaugurate a merit system for prospective teachers, to obtain speakers and lecturers and hold discussions and debates.

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#### Student Committee Plans Library Club

The Student Library committee, consisting of Warren Kissinger and French club held at the home of Carl Liggio, senior representatives with Sally Reddig representing the sophomores, will discuss plans for the enlargement of the group to form a library club on campus.

According to Miss Alice Sylvesplanned at the meeting to begin ter, librarian and adviser to the committee, plans for a children's story telling hour and naming the time for the group to meet with Dr. Carlton Sprague Smith will also be discussed. A program to continue last year's project of bringing worthwhile films on campus to show to the general student body will be on the agenda.

"We look forward," Miss Sylvester commented, "to as successful a year as possible, and with a more interested and active group, we can do nothing else but be success-

#### Martha Martin Enrolls 74 for "Life of Christ"

Opening its ninth season on Friday evening, September 16 with the record attendance of 74, the evening Bible class held by Miss Martha Martin for church workers of varisidering "The Life of Christ" as its study this year.

Due to the exceptionally large attendance and the expectation of ister. several more members, Miss Martin has announced that the class has been divided into two sessions to be held on Tuesday and Friday respectively, each from 7:30 p.m. -9:30 p.m.

Announcements about the courses, time, and place of study were sent by the college office to church workers of many locations and denominations, although the majority belong to the Church of the Brethren. The classes are each held for ten weeks - one night each week. Three dollars is the cost of enrollment.

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#### SCM Deputation Groups Complete Semester Plans

The Deputation teams under the auspices of the SCM have completed their schedule for the first semester. The groups presenting programs are under the leadership of Armon Snowden, chairman and Earl Ziegler, who arrange the ministerial and musical phases respectively.

The schedule for the remainder of October and November is: October 23, Smithsburg, Md., and Bunkertown, Arthur Bowser, minister; October 30, Lancaster, Clyde Weaver, minister; York II, Armon Snowden, minister; November 6, Maiden Creek and Jennersville, Harry Shuster, minister; York 1st, Warren Kissinger, minister; November 13, Hanover, Jesse Brown, minister; Akron, Clyde Weaver, minister; York Madison Avenue Church, Armon Snowden, minister; November 20, Cocalico, Warren Kissinger, minister; Lebanon, Armon Snowden, minister; Hershey, Warren Kissinger, minister; and Long Run.

Programs given were: October 2, Sugar Valley, Robert Stehman, minister; October 9, Little Swatara and Annville, Earl Ziegler, minister; October 16, Richland and Myerstown, Dale Hylton, minister; Mechanicsburg, Bill Longenecker, min-

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"You will have to be willing to let your plans go and accept God's will in your life," Dr. Samuel Higgenbottom, noted Presbyterian missionary and educator urged the student body in chapel recently. "I have never done in my life anything that I thought I wanted to do, but have followed where God led," he asserted in describing his own life.

Doctor Higgenbottom, a native of Wales, came to this country as a student of Mt. Herman school in Massachusetts. Later he graduated from Amherst college and Princeton university. Concerning his sudden call to the Indian mission field Doctor Higgenbottom said, "In a twenty minute street car conversation (with an India missionary) I had changed the whole course of my life."

He went in 1903 as an unordained evangelist to the untouchables of India. While teaching economics in the Allahabad Christian college he became impressed with "the appalling poverty of the Indian farmer." In 1911 he returned to the United States and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in agriculture at Ohio State university.

With knowledge gained there and from his early farm background he organized the "Agricultural Institute" of Allahabad college for which he received honors from both the Indian and British governments. Since his retirement five years ago he is now president emeritus of that institution. He has also been active in behalf of lepers and the blind.

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#### Baltimore Scores 4-1 Win Over E-town; Dodd-men to Play Three More Games

Scoring two goals in the first quarter and two in the final period, a strong University of Baltimore soccer team handed the Elizabethtown College booters their second setback in four starts.

The game played at Elizabethtown during a slight drizzle, was a tense battle the whole way.

**Nine Groups Form** 

For SCM Interests

The nine recently formed interest

groups of the SCM will meet on the

as part of the overall program for

Meeting next on October 26, the

groups are designed to promote in-

formal discussions on subjects of

Karl Kolva will head the Luth-

eran Student Association and Clyde

Weaver will meet with the group

interested in Peace. Understand-

ler while Church Councils will be

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On Saturday the cabinet of the

SCM will meet at the home of Clyde

Weaver to further plans for the

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on Refugee Problems.

Karl Kolva is chairman.

Ken Gingrich and Bill Schnieder, who were playing outstanding games, were injured in the contest. Gingrich suffered a chipped ankle bone during the second quarter while attempting to trap a ball and Schnieder dislocated his knee midway in the third period in a collision with a Baltimore player.

On Saturday, October 8, Bloomsburg defeated the E-town booters the year. by a 2-1 score.

Although the "Dodd men" battled gamely the vaunted Bloomsburg offense finally came to life. Gingrich scored the lone goal for E-town.

After such a fine showing against Bloomsburg and two previous victories to their credit over Lincoln and Kings, the boys deserve all the backing they can get. Students are urged to attend the next game and cheer the team to victory.

The schedule is as follows:

October 21, Lincoln University, Away; October 29, Maryland State, Home; November 5, Lock Haven,

This year's squad includes the following returning veterans: Paul Boltz, Dave Snavely, Ken Gingrich, Armon Snowden, Matt Meyer, Don Haverstick, Bill Schneider, Pres Rohrbaugh and Tom Kingree.

The newcomers to the squad are: Nelson Kline, Bill Foster, Al Seldomridge, Henry Hoerner, Carlton Lehman, Tryon Benner, Jay Cook, Chris Simpson and Stan Kettering.

#### DR. CARLTON S. SMITH

(Continued from Page 1) will meet with students from the advanced language and history

He will confer with members of the library committee and interested students on the theme "Current Library Problems." In addition he will give a flute concert.

Professor E. G. Meyer, chairman of the college lyceum committee, announces that "Dr. Smith will speak to a service club also," as part of his three days of activities.

A graduate of Harvard University and the University of Vienna, Dr. Smith was instructor in history at Columbia University. In 1940 he was the chairman of the music division under the Coordinator of Commercial and Cultural Relations for the State Department and was the author and commentator of the "Music of the American School of the Air Program" heard over CBS.

In 1943 he lectured in Brazil for the State Department and remained there as cultural relations officer until 1947 when he was sent to Czechoslovakia, France, Denmark and Germany by the War Department.

He is co-chairman with Doctor Serge Koussevitzky of a special international fund set up by the Panel on Music in the United States, and has collected \$11,000 for UNESCO for the assistance of young composers abroad.

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#### Debate Team at Work On National Question

Resolved: That the United States should nationalize basic non-agricultural industries. That is the question which confronts the college debaters this year.

Prof. Mahlon Hellerich, adviser, announced that the team will participate in about 10 home debates, several tournaments, and a novice tournament which is planned for December 3.

Joyce Foley, Clyde Weaver, Gerald Fosbenner, Howard Wittle, Armon Snowden and Julius Belser. all members of the class in Argufourth Wednesday of every month, mentation and Debate, are expected to form the nucleus of the team. However any student may try out for the debating team.

Professor Hellerich served on the State Questions Committee for the annual convention of the Debating Association of American Colleges held October 1 at Harrisburg.

#### GOVERNOR DUFF

(Continued from Page 1)

ing God and Improving Spiritual Life will be directed by Earl Zieg- and Mrs. Duff were the guests of honor at a luncheon in the Lutheran discussed under Leon Henise. War- Church in Elizabethtown. Pres. A. ren Kissinger leads a group on C. Baugher, toastmaster, introduced Christian Heritage. A Realistic Ap- Dr. and Mrs. William Freeman. Dr. Freeman spoke of the Governor's acheaded by Israel Royer and Hartmut complishments in improving mental von Hentig will lead in a program institutions and state highway systems. He also commended the Governor's "clean stream" program. Mrs. Freeman spoke on a recent trip to England and Denmark.

> Mrs. Charles P. Hicks, Maytown, Lancaster County prothonotary, who was one of the first two women students at the college, told of the events of her college days of more than forty years ago.

Other speakers included Dr. R. W. Schlosser, Professor H. H. Nye, former presidents; J. G. Francis. early worker for the college; and Dr. Harry Klonower of the state department of education.

Among guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Baker Royer, Ephrata; S. P. Engle, one of the first incorporators; S. G. Graybill, for many years superintendent of buildings and grounds; Mr. Harvey Buch; Mrs. H. K. Ober, and Mrs. G. N. Falken-

Additional guests included members of the board of trustees, student musicians and members of the

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#### Annual Report on 1948-1949 Session Presented to President by the Dean

Gleaned from the Dean's report to the President were the following facts and figures for the 1948-49 regular session:

Seven states were represented on campus. They included Pennsylvania, Florida, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Virginia, and West Virginia with one foreign country represented - Germany.

There were 280 men students and 97 women students, making a total of 377. Of the men, 82 were married including 2 women students which accounts for approximately 22% of the students.

Non-resident students totaled 215 while resident students numbered 162. A further break-down showed that 186 were veterans, 182 were non-veterans and 9 were CPS (Civilian Public Service) students.

Also, there were 30 different religious denominations represented on

## **Hayride for Friday**

Senate Announces

Mervin Hess, president of the Student. Senate, announces the committee to arrange a hayride for Friday evening. Harold Ebersole is chairman and Gladys Stehman, Robert Trimmer, Joanna Wilson and has reported progress in the selling James Meminger are assisting.

Day students will be given an opportunity to sign on a chart in the college store and boarding students will be contacted personally.

The hayride will conclude with a bonfire at the lake where refreshments will be served.

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#### Etonian to Recognize College Golden Jubilee

The Golden Anniversary of Elizabethtown college will strike the keynote of the 1949 Etonian, according to Warren Kissinger, the editor-in-chief.

William Helm, business manager of ads. The staff has been meeting to outline the book and plan the

Individual pictures will be taken during the month of October.

#### Freshmen Yank Rope Hope to End Rules

The annual Tug O' War between the freshmen and sophomore classes on Homecoming Day, October 29, will decide whether the freshmen will be required to wear their dinks and carry their Rudder, two of the traditional regulations for all fresh-

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# **Etownian Sponsors Safety Contest**; All Students May Submit Entries

#### Contestants Must Report Before Dec. 1; Winners to Be Published in Next Issue

"A Crusade for Safety" contest open to all students will be sponsored by the Etownian in its December issue.

Entries may include a news or feature story, a cartoon, or editorial on traffic safety.

The winning published entries will then be submitted to the national College Newspaper contest on Safe Driving in competition with other college newspapers for awards Meeting on Campus totaling \$2,000.

The purpose of the contest is to encourage safe driving among college students during the Christmas holiday season.

Material on the contest is now being exhibited in the library and any Biblical Seminary, Chicago, is Prof. Hellerich Heads further announcements will appear reporting on his study of the mison the bulletin board. All college students are eligible.

Each contestant will be asked to report to Carl Liggio and submit his entries by December 1.

#### Medical Lab Techs Hear Dr. E. E. Ziegler

Dr. Edwin E. Ziegler, pathologist of St. Joseph's hospital, Lancaster, addressed the medical technology majors recently in the first of a series of talks as a special lecturer in medical laboratory technology at Elizabethtown college.

Instrumental in the establishment | Church of the Brethren. of the three year med tech course at Elizabethtown, Doctor Zeigler emphasized its importance. Under this program a student will be able to take his fourth year in internship at a recognized hospital to qualify for a bachelor of Science in Medical Technology degree. Stu- Christmas Musicale dents completing the two year course are eligible for a med tech certificate, but not the degree.

the lecture on laboratory accommodations and opportunities of employment included: Drs. Charles and Bessie Apgar, Dr. O. F. Stambaugh; sophomores Peggy Berntheizel, Lois Erb, Sara Reddig, Katherine Strumpfer and Bernice Zercher:

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#### Students Pre-Register Nov. 28 to Dec. 16

Second semester registration will take place from November 28 to official notice from the Middle At-December 16, Dean Henry G. Buch- | lantic States Collegiate Athletic er has announced.

used first in the second semester registration of 1949-50, each faculty adviser will pre-register those students on his list according to the schedule he has arranged. Final registration will proceed in the usual manner from January 30 to

The Alpha hall bulletin board will carry the lists of advisers with their students and schedules.

# Fiftieth Bible Institute

Dr. Rufus Bowman and Dr. Burton Metzler are conducting the 50th Bible Institute on campus this week.

Dr. Bowman, president of Bethsion field and relief programs of the Church of the Brethren in China, India, and Europe.

Dr. Metzler is professor of Philosophy and Religion at McPherson college, Kansas. His subjects are from the book of Romans.

The following pastors and their churches are contributing to worship services and special music: Jacob Dick, Lititz; Frederick Hollingshead, Harrisburg; J. Herbert Miller, Hershey; Wayne Dick, Lancaster; Bernard King, York; and Nevin Zuck, Elizabethtown.

These evening services throughout the week are held in the college chapel. Sunday's service will be held in the Washington Street

Drs. Bowman and Metzler are available for personal interviews with students.

# **Choral Club Announces**

The Christmas musicale, the first of two annual programs by the Faculty and students attending Choral club, will be presented on December 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the college gymnasium. David Albright, director, announced that the public is invited and will participate in

> The program is divided into four parts including singing of less familiar carols followed by Christmas music of a lighter nature as "Carol of the Bells."

> > (Continued on Page 4)

#### E. C. Now Full Member Of M.A.S.C.A. Conference

Coach Ira R. Herr has received Conference that Elizabethtown col-Following the successful plan lege has been elected to full membership in the Conference.

An affiliate of the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference, this the college lake. group is the leading conference in the East.

"Elizabethtown college is already playing more than half its games the traditional "pull" was to decide with conference members," Coach Herr reported, "and has played under its rules ever since competing in intercollegiate athletics."

#### Apgars to Receive **Etonian Dedication**

Dr. Charles S. Apgar and Dr. Bessie G. Apgar acknowledged dedication of the 1950 Etonian by the senior class.

In a letter written to the secretary of the graduation class, the Apgars said "Though we feel unworthy of such attention, we recognize the triple honor that you have bestowed upon us: 1-that you chose us from a group of worthy faculty, 2-that this is the school's fiftieth anniversary and 3-that we have been here only a comparatively short

The Doctors Apgar were nominated for the dedication in recognition of their achievements in the developing of the biology department and in giving biology majors preprofessional guidance.

# State Committee

Professor Mahlon Hellerich, of the History and Political Science department, has been named State Chairman of the Committee on Public Affairs for the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

According to Professor Hellerich this committee will attempt to build opinion favorable to the Hoover Commission Report.

The Commission offers recommendations which will, if carried out, (1) produce savings, (2) reduce wastes, and (3) eliminate duplication of services and agencies in executive branches of government. Professor Hellerich is a member

Committee for the Hoover Report in eastern Pennsylvania

# John C. Metcalf on Campus Dec. 8 To Spotlight Washington in Lecture

#### **Agent for Un-American Avtivities Committee** Also Discusses American Foreign Policy

John C. Metcalfe, widely known analyst of American foreign affairs and a Washington observer, will be the lyceum speaker on Thursday, December 8, at 8:00 p.m. in the auditorium gymnasium. His subject will be "Spotlight on Washington."



John C. Metcalf

#### Reserved Seats Offered

Fifty reserved seats are available for the home basketball games, the college Athletic committee has announced.

The booklet which is priced at \$12 tax included, can be used for the of the Speakers Bureau of the twelve home games by those presenting it at the door, and may be purchased at the business office.

Disguised as a member, storm trooper, and secret agent, Mr. Metcalfe exposed the German-American Bund twelve years ago. He served as the first agent of the House Committee on Un-American Activities in Charge of Nazi and Facist investigations.

He will discuss American foreign policy and the major problems confronting the United States in assuming world leadership in the cause of freedom and peace.

Mr. Metcalfe will also discuss the dangers inherent in the return to power in Germany of many former Nazi and the struggle our country is encountering in seeking to hold control of Western Europe against the aggressive expansionist policy of Soviet Russia.

A former Washington diplomatic correspondent for the New York Herald Tribune and for Time Magazine, he has had many journalistic assignments in Europe and Latin America.

Recently decorated by the King of Norway, Mr. Metcalfe also holds the Chilean Legion of Merit, the silver plaque of the National Headliners Club, and the gold plaque of the Chicago Advisory Board for Amer-

#### Freshmen Win Annual Tug-O'-War; Wet Homecoming Day for Sophomores



It was a wet homecoming day for twenty freshmen and sophomores as they tried to pull each other into

With Gordon Baver as captain of the freshman team and John Brunner leading the sophomore team, the fate of freshmen in respect to the wearing of their characteristic "dinks."

"We won our two out of three victory.

Homecoming Tug-O'-War

victory," commented Ellis Shenk "but because they disqualified one bout we just had to pull those sophomores in again . . ." for a three out of four victory.

across half the lake felt that he wasn't sure whether it was the goal or that freshmen are just stronger than sophomores "because they haven't been exposed to a year of college," that gave the freshmen a

## FTA Membership 101 Pres. Whitacre Reports

Membership of the local Future Teachers of America chapter is 101, James Whitacre, F. T. A. president, has announced. This is an increase of 45 over the 1948-49 school year.

The club sponsored American Education Week here November 6-12. Prof. Elmer Hoover was guest speaker at the November 7 meet-

Mr. Whitacre expects to have an outside speaker for the next meeting, December 5.

#### Drama Club Presents **Excerpts from Macbeth**

Using seven candles, a bare stage and a flight of stairs, an interpretation of excerpts from Shakespeare's Macbeth was recently presented to students and the public, by members of the Sock and Buskin club.

With Ardyce Trout playing Lady Macbeth to Israel Royer's Macbeth, the production also included a cho-Robert Hammers who was pulled rus, played by Celia Miller and Christine Hewett, that bound the dramatic excerpts to relate the complete tragedy. Janice Anderson and LaRue Monn portrayed the prophet witches.

The presentation was under the staging and direction of Carl Liggio.

#### Question:

(The Etownian requested that Prof. Mablon Hellerich give his views on the following question.)

Will Communism as a political and economic system be established in the United States?

I do not pretend to be a prophet, but my answer to this question would be "no." I would offer these reasons to support my answer:

- (1) The American economy with its large element of private enterprise is today the most productive in the world and is productive of a high standard of living for all classes.
- (2) Opportunity for economic betterment exists for most Americans in our present system.
- (3) Our private enterprise economy, partly because of business leadership and partly because of pressures brought to bear by labor, agriculture and the consuming public, is more cognizant of its social responsibilities and is producing wider social benefits today than at any time in our history.
- (4) There is no apparent limit at the present time to the expansions of which our economy is capable.
- (5) The American people generally are middle-class folk retaining their faith in middle-class ideals and middle-class mores.
- (6) Our large body of political and civil rights make us suspicious of any form of totalitarianism. We do not wish to surrender these rights for promises of economic betterment. If anything, we wish to add certain economic rights to our established political and civil rights.

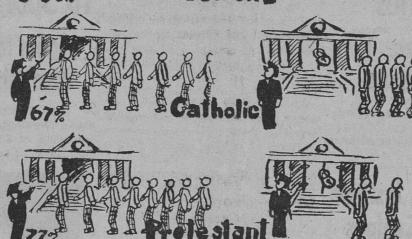
However, I would suggest that we be conscious of certain continuing problems in our struggle with international Communism.

- (1) It is necessary that we learn to know Communism: its doctrine, its tactics, its relationship to international and national politics, its history in those nations in which it has been attempted. We should not, because of prejudices, close our eyes to the real achievements of states which have been organized on Communistic principles.
- (2) We must seek to deal effectively with economic and social problems in our society which cause some Americans to question the merits of our economic and political
- (3) We must be able to draw a line in our thinking between liberal economic and political programs and those which are either Communistic in nature or advocated by American Communists for strategic purposes. We must not make the error of labeling every reform a Communistic measure.
- (4) We must be willing to experiment with various proposals for government intervention in the economy where such experiments would seem to be necessary, desirable and practical.
- (5) We must realize the importance of effective international action in concert with democratic forces in other nations. International Communism must be combatted with an internationalist democracy.

Finally, we must remember that a struggle against Communism requires continued and resolute action on the part of every American. I offer these suggestions as stimulants to your thought. They are not meant to be dogma upon which your attitudes and actions in this matter are to be based.

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group members. Do you know what a Dartmouth college so-called Christian president

said about admitting Jews? Do you know what Boston's Emerson college and the Harcum Junior College in Bryn Mawr reported back to Jewish and Catholic students attempting to make application for admission?

You can find out by reading the recent issue of the Public Affairs Pamphlet RELIGION AND RACE: BARRIERS TO COLLEGE? It names names, places, dates and gives facts.

The pamphlet is on display in the library now. And don't just pass it by—pick it up, read it—study it as if you belonged to the minority group. being rejected. How would you feel then?

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Persons interested in writing to a foreign student may be interested a campaign to remove dead trees from campus gets to know that "besides conducting Letters Abroad and foreign policy dis- under way. ons in the Philadelphia area, the World Affairs Council acts as the official education center and speakers bureau for the United Nations in the region and the official distribution center for the State Department. It is an affiliate of the Foreign Policy Association, Inc., 22 East Thirtyeighth Street, New York City."

#### Did You Know That . . . .

A freshman doesn't know but doesn't know that he doesn't know.

A sophomore doesn't know but knows that he doesn't know.

A junior knows but doesn't know that he knows. A senior knows and knows that he knows.

. . . Professor David Albright's father-in-law is Dr. Burton Metzler who is on campus for Bible In-

. . . Gerald Fosbenner is a regular announcer for a number of Sunday radio programs heard over station WBUX, Quakertown and Doylestown.

. . . stars sometimes appear red, blue, green and many other colors according to a recent astronomy class discussion.

. he who marries for money earns it.

. . . Professor Galen Kilhefner has been elected president of the Kiwanis Club for 1950. Professor Mahlon Hellerich will serve as second vice-president.

. . . Dr. Ralph W. Schlosser is conducting a Speech class in Lancaster for employees of the Bell Telephone Company.

. . . Donald Ream is working on an invention: a lint suit that picks up blue serge.

. . . Fred Wilkins has one of his paintings, "Study in Pennsylvania Dutch," hanging in Aunt Sally's Kitchen, Elizabethtown. He is now painting a companion piece-a mural called "Tobacco Fields."

. . . Dr. A. C. Baugher has purchased an old bookcase of 100 years' vintage for his office from the Alden estates of Cornwall-sixth generation descendants of John and Priscilla Alden.

. . . the group working on the Halloween float stayed up until 5:30 a.m. to finish it.

. . . C. Frederick Horbach drew the cartoon on

#### With Our Eds and Co-eds

Clara Waser is eastern regional president of the Brethren Young People's group.

The Edward Sparkman and Bill Davis feud is on again and it's difficult for even the economics prof to get a word in.

Elsie Bomgardner sings in the Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren Choir.

Fred Gantz is a member of the Maynard Mc-Kissing orchestra playing week-ends at the O'Yes Hotel in Ono, Pennsylvania.

Braille and the Taylor method for mathematics were explained to the Lions Club in Palmyra by Marie Schroyer.

Every other week-end Gerald Weaver takes a trip to Bridgewater College in order to enjoy the beautiful scenery of Virginia.

Milton Rowe is judge of election and third ward assessor in Middletown.

Warren Kissinger, Robert Stehman and Clyde Weaver managed to get to several of the Swanger lectures given at the Lancaster 'Theological Semi-

Many of the student woodsmen: Jay Cook, Paul lumberjacks on the best way to cut a tree down as

Many people put their clothing on backwards at the recent SCM Backward Party, but only Harold Gieb put his glasses on the back of his head.

Gilbert Young was stage manager for the recent presentation of Macbeth on campus.

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-ism-or any other word-then they have renamed human nature.

## When the Well Is Dry

Thanksgiving is a tradition to which we are intensely devoted; it means the warm, intimate joy of family get-togethers, recollections of "over the river and through the woods . . . ." the personal touch which strikes a responding note in all our hearts.

But what of those who are not as fortunate as we? What will Thanksgiving mean to them this year? Will it be just another day without any significance . . . for how can you think of significances when you are hungry?

Sentimentality is a luxury that only we happy

We on campus have a great deal to be thankful for but do we appreciate what we have? An old proverb says it better: "We know the wealth of water, when the well is dry."

#### Practice Teachers Report Experiences; Stares and How to Subtract, Problems

"The first day I sat in the back? of the room, they just stared at me," Gretchen Sherman - commented in respect to the beginning of her practice teaching in the elementary grades in Elizabethtown. "And you know you can't stare children down." With her are Ardyce Trout, Gladys Stehman, Joan Martin and Melba Rigley. In the secondary group are Kenneth Gingrich teaching bookkeeping and business training and Robert Graham teaching psychology.

"I forget how to subtract fractions," Carl Liggio complained, reporting on his seventh and eighth grade arithmetic at East Donegal. Paul Boltz and Paul Raffensperger are teaching history and guidance respectively. Hugh Miller, under the guidance of Stanley Dotterer, '49, is meeting the physics classes and Galen Fahnestock, business typing and office practice.

Janice Anderson, Jean Herr and LaRue Monn are at the elementary school in Florin. At Mt. Joy Matthew Meyer is teaching geometry; Ray Snyder, Latin; Jessse Sheetz, biology; Ziegler Heilman, geometry; and James Whitacre, his-

At Middletown are Robert Hess teaching history; Walter Nickle, arithmetic; George Flowers, biology; Donald Hivner, business. Marietta has Harry Earhart in the social sciences. Charles Jordan is practice teaching in Steelton. Roy Forney and Richard Brubaker travel on to

Professor Elmer Hoover, adviser to the practice teachers, reports that invite more people from Europe to "all seems to be going well, and study American ways and send our this year's group should do very successful work."

#### Lois Wilson, Nurse, Reports on X-Ray Unit

Miss Lois Wilson, college nurse, reports that the results of the tuberculosis x-rays given on campus recently by the Lancaster County Tuberculosis Society will arrive this month. A total of 206 students and 17 faculty members were x-rayed.

"I was very happy to see so many students and faculty turn out for the project," Miss Wilson commented. "It showed that people are becoming more and more aware of the efforts of medical science to protect them from such dread diseases."

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#### Club Practice Debates Freshman Rules and Chapel

The members of the debating club expressed their opinions concerning freshman regulations and compulsorv chapel in recent practice de-

Joyce Foley and Gerald Fosbenner debated that freshman regulations are a method of orientation while Armon Snowden and Clyde Weaver contended that these regulations are a method of initiation.

Compulsory chapel was defended by Howard Wittel and Warren Kissinger because our present system of chapel is a requirement like any other essential course offered.

But Julius Belser and Hartmut von Hentig considered chapel more than a class.

#### Lyceum Lecturer Urges **European Spiritual Aid**

"We give physical but not spiritual and psychological encouragement to Europe," said Dr. Carleton Sprague Smith in his lecture "Europe Today" given here October 27. From his eye-witnessed account of the conditions there, he stressed need for a better foreign policy.

"We have means of helping Europe," Dr. Smith stated, "but we have to do more of a re-orientation job. By a long range plan we must best men abroad to study theirs."

He believes that "democracy is at the crossroads" and that "Europe is the bastion of the world and the cradle of civilization." He also appealed to students to join in foreign service, which he calls a "type of 20th century missionary work."

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#### Apgar, Haubert Meet With Clubs

At recent meetings of the Science and Comerciantes clubs, Dr. Charles S. Apgar and John R. Haubert, chief of Commercial Education at Harrisburg, spoke to their respective groups.

Doctor Apgar, who has for several years been interested in forestry and wild life, gave a lecture based on his experiences.

Mr. Haubert, who is with the Bureau of Public Instruction in Harrisburg and former commercial professor at this college, addressed the club on the duties of the commercial teacher.

New members were also taken into the clubs as part of the regular

#### College Float Wins Prize; 50th Anniversary Featured

The college float entered by the Student association won the third prize of ten dollars in the annual Elizabethtown Halloween parade on MEDICAL LAB TECHS

Commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the school, the float featured a six foot college seal. Students appearing on the float and representing 1899 were Gretchen Sherman, LaRue Monn, James Whitacre and Harold Ebersole.

The year 1949 was represented by Sally Reddig, Charmaine Fickes, P. J. Boltz and Gerald Burdick.

The float which was also entered in the Mt. Joy parade was the achievement of the following students: LaRue Monn, chairman; Gretchen Sherman, Jerry Bauknight, Sally Reddig, Charmaine Fickes, Gerald Burdick, Christine Hewett, Fred Horbach, Paul Sensenig, Janice Anderson and Jesse Sheetz.

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#### German Student Tells of Colorado Trip; **Annual Goethe Bicentennial Attraction**

How would you like to be hitching a ride out west and be picked up by the famous playright Thornton Wilder?

That was one of the experiences encountered by Hartmut von Hentig this summer on his journey to the annual Goethe Bicentennial in Aspen

#### Library Nears Completion; Interior Remaining Work

The new library building is now under roof, the cupola is firmly in place and windows now fill the

K. Ezra Bucher has announced that work on the building is proceeding according to schedule.

Most of the remaining work will be on the interior except for grading and landscaping. Workmen are laying the heat lines and as soon as this job is completed the radiators will be installed.

Mr. Bucher also said that a bid for stacks has been placed with the Remington Rand Library Bureau.

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freshmen Jean Bagenstose, Mrs. Rachel Forry, Mary Alice Weicksel, Mariane Beane and June Rams-

Among the students who have completed the two year course and are now in internship are: Nancy Swope, Anna Burkholder, Janet Myers, Barbara Kreider, Brown and Bernice Kurtz at St. Joseph's and Ella Zimmerman at a Schenectady, New York, hospital.

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An admirer of Wilder, the German student says he thoroughly enjoyed the vivid intellect of Wilder whose witty conversation entertained him on a seven-mile trip.

While in Colorado, von Hentig visited with his uncle and two brothers-later hitch-hiking to their California home.

Disappointed because he did not see Albert Schweitzer, the world renowned medical missionary, philosopher, and organist, Hartmut discovered that Schweitzer's mere presence in Aspen impressed the conference more than his speeches.

An admirer of Goethe, Hartmut sees much similarity between Schweitzer and the great German philosopher "because both men lived according to the dictates of their creative minds."

"The spirit of convocation and friendliness which permeated the conference impressed me," said von Hentig who realizes, "to an extent which I had not experienced before, that a world wide society has been long since established by the great minds of nations."

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Audrey Kopp, '48, attended the University of Michigan summer

#### Veterans Work Hard; Rookies Abundant As Courtsters Prep for Tough Season

Basketball starts off with a bang on November 30 as Coach Ira Herr's courtsters travel to Gettysburg to tangle with a veteran Bullet quintet. This is one of the "big-time" teams scheduled this year by Coach Herr, and is followed by King's College on December 1 and Millersville on December 3-both on the home floor.

Cheerleaders Sport

rallies and new uniforms.

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New Uniforms, Cheers

The cheer leaders are on the job

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Leading on during the coming

basketball season in their new gray

skirts and royal blue sweaters, col-

ors of the varsity, are Sally Reddig,

head cheerleader; Barbara Bowman,

Betty Hammers, Peggy Berntheizel

Dotty Bomberger will head the

sisted by Jo Ann Mathias, Natalie

new uniforms will consist of blue

Five seniors are serving as labora-

Veteran assistants Edward Cook,

Students Employed

As Lab Assistants

Other games before the holidays are St. Joseph's, Juniata, and Moravian, on December 7, 10, and 14 respectively.

Fifteen returning basketeers are expected to form the nucleus of the squad. This includes seven junior varsity men, most of whom also saw some varsity action.

The veterans are: Forwards-Bill Foster, Russ Walter, Don Haverstick, Carl Martin and Earl Hess.

Guards - John Berger, George Waltz, Merle Trupe, John Brunner, Jim Meminger, Bill Schneider and Tom Kingree.

Centers-Ed Brunner, Bill Helm junior-varsity cheering to be asand Ike Royer.

Newcomers fighting for starting Young and Jean Bagentose. Their berths are: John Bolton, Gordie Foster, Ken Reighard, Nels Kline, skirts and white sweaters. Stan Grill, Fred Ranck, Alan Whitacre, Henry Hoerner, David Wilson, Charles Roth, Leonard Grimm, Clarence Bivins, Carlton Lehman and Dale Berkheimer.

From these 29 men Coach Herr will build a varsity squad and a junior varsity squad. The varsity tory assistants. Students for these will play a tough 24 game schedule positions are chosen on the basis of and the jay-vees will play about aptitude and interest. 16 games.

The coach is in high hope of duplicating or bettering last year"s in the chemistry department. Rob-17-7 record with the varsity and ert Trimmer helps in the biology the 14-2 which the jay-vees tallied. laboratories while Jesse Brown still Both of these records were the best assists in the visual education class. the Brethren in Christ church paper. ever established by the school.

sity averaged 66 points per game to the opponents' 57 and the juniors averaged 56 to the opposition's 42.

Coach Herr pointed out that any other men who would like to "try out" for the team are still welcome and should see him at once.

#### CHORAL CLUB

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The third part consists of familiar carols to be sung by the audience and also Christmas anthems by the choral group. For the final part the choral club will present the cantata, "When the Christ Child Came" by Joseph W. Clokey.

Soloists are Nancy Mathias, soprano; Betty Ann Hammers, alto; Mervin Hess, tenor; Gene Swords, bass; and Barbara Nelson and Harvey Brandt.

Features of the concert will be two selections by the A Cappella choir and singing by the Male chorus. Gladys Stehman is accompanist.

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Mr. and Mrs. Blake Weller visited campus recently. Mrs. Weller is the former Jean Sharpe, '47, and now resides at 2801 South Arlington St., Akron 12, Ohio.

Reports have reached the office of the following weddings:

Zatoe Beetem, '46, and Evan Atkins, June 8 in the Pine Grove Presbyterian Church, Sunnyburn, York County. They now live on a dairy farm at Woodbine, Penna.

Helen Burkholder, ex. '50, and Richard Libhart, Sept. 17 in the Bainbridge Church of God.

Evelyn Sprenkle, '31, and Amos Hummer, '31, were married and are residing in Elizabethtown.

Anna Mary Hawthorne and Robert Hess, '50.

Ruth Cromie, '47, married Julius Conoy Shepherd, who is an instructor in mathematics at the University of Maryland. They are living at 10 D.N. Manor Circle, Apt. 4, Tacoma Park, Maryland.

Snavely, '50, in the Presbyterian Church, Bel Air, Maryland.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wenger, '48, in Chicago on Sept. 25.

Carol Posey, '43, is teaching science and history in Lower Chanceford Township High School, York soon for Europe to visit friends he Ernest Gantz and Karl Kolva aid County.

Jacob Kuhns, '35, has returned to Messiah Bible College as an instructor in English. He was founder of

In winning these games, the var- TO ELIZABETHTOWN COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:

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#### Soccer Team Beats Maryland State; Close Score 1-0 for Homecoming Game

A powerful Lock Haven State Teachers College soccer eleven invaded the E-town stronghold on Saturday, November 5 and handed a scrappy Elizabethtown college outfit a 4-2 defeat, in the season finale.

A high scoring second period featured the fray and it was three goals in this stanza, by J. Tyconni of the visitors, that decided the outcome. Benner and Meyer tallied E-town's points, also in this period.

#### Three Students Assist In Library This Year

Finding magazines piled high in stacks, arranging catalogue cards, working at the desk, typing and trying to trace overdue books are just some of the duties of the three student library assistants working with Miss Alice Sylvester, librarian, and E. G. Meyer, the assistant.

Chosen for their interest and experience were Harry Shuster, Betty Ann Whitmore and Phyllis Saylor.

"The group is an alert one," Miss Sylvester has noted, "eager to do library work."

In previous years the library used only two aides, but because of the larger number of students using the Marian Brubaker and James facilities this year, additional assistance was needed.

> Gladys Weaver, '47, attended the University of Penna. summer session and teaches at the M. J. Brecht School near Lancaster.

Howard Minnich, '49, will sail met during World War II. He will spend most of his time in England and France.

A last period field goal by Matt Meyer enabled the E-town booters to break a scoreless tie and subdue a scrappy Maryland State eleven, 1 to 0.

The game was played before a large throng of Homecoming Day fans and was the closest duel of the season.

Lincoln University, refusing to play the role of perfect hosts, defeated the charges of Joe Dodd in a hard fought game on October 21, 2 to 1.

This defeat evened the seasonal series with Lincoln at one game

Although a (4-3) (3-4) record is not the most impressive one registered by an E-town team, the boys are to be congratulated on their commendable seasonal record, established in the face of injuries to key men midway through the season. Good work, fellows. It was a job well done.

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# Congress Prohibits Cars On Roads In Attempt to Stop Traffic Deaths

## Bill S46b Rejected By American Drivers

By Donald Ream

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13, 1954 -Bill S46b, recently enacted, was the most absurd law ever to be test recently held on campus. passed by The United States Congress. It has already shocked the nation and proved highly imprac-

This bill, which prohibits the use of any form of motor vehicles on all federal roads, has forced the American public to revert to the horse and buggy, in the hope of limiting accidents.

S46b is a poor attempt by Congress to meet the emergency of the increasing toll in traffic accidents. Look at the statistics! The highest rate of accidents is caused by men and women of college age. Why not punish them only? But even they now appreciate the privilege that has been taken from them because of reckless driving.

Give the American motorist another chance. Give him back his car, and with it provide proper training and education. Stress the importance to human safety of careful and intelligent driving. The American people have seen what lack of modern means of transportation can do-and they are ready to make amends.

Congress, listen to the plea of the people: "Give us our Fords, or give us death!"

#### C. Waser Represents Church at Conference

Clara Waser will represent the Church of the Brethren on the Swartz. youth advisory committee to the Japan International Christian University Foundation at a conference to be held Jan. 6-8 in New York

The purpose of this committee, composed of members from many church denominations, is to create

Miss Waser is now serving as president of the Eastern Region youth cabinet and on the national giving. youth cabinet of the Church of the Brethren.

#### President's Schedule **Lists Two Conferences**

Traveling to Elgin, Ill., Dr. A. C. Baugher will meet with the Executive committee of the General theme was "God's Dreams for with a miniature uniform all cut to Brotherhood board of the Church of | Christian Students," were: Lucille fit. Eyes became watery as the the Brethren on Jan. 13.

En route, Doctor Baugher will attend a meeting of the Association Dale Hylton, Al Seldomridge, Ellis Cocomo's delighted face must be of American colleges in Cincinnati, Shenk, Armon Snowden, Israel similar to the look on their sons' and wherever you spend it, won't sylvania. Nearly two hundred Ohio. On Jan. 12, the president will meet with the committee on Ziegler. Professor Robert Eshle- has brought them. Higher Education of the Church of man was a research leader and

#### Four Safety Contest **Entries Published**

The satirical story on the left is the winning news feature by Donald Ream in the Safety Traffic Con-



Donald Ream

On the editorial page are the contributions of three other winners. Arthur Bowser's editorial-feature 'Drinking-Driving-Dying" is correlated with the winning cartoon on safe, sober driving submitted by C. Frederick Horbach.

"Thinking Stops Teenicide" an editorial by Albert Seldomridge was also selected for publication by the Etownian judging committee.

Copies of this issue will be submitted to the national contest to compete with other college publica-

Last year the Etownion received honorable mention for the editorial on safe driving, written by Sara

#### Ben Ebersole Chosen Brethren SCM Leader

president of the Brethren Student Groff as he slinked around the an interest in the youth of United Christian Movement at the Ashland camp in search of food. He was and Canada to establish college conference this Thanksgiv- immediately given a warm spot in Christian educational institutions in ing vacation. One of his duties is the hearts of Mr. Groff and other to plan for the annual student con- home-loving boys, who took it upference which will be held at on themselves to adopt and care for Bridgewater college next Thanks- Cocomo.

> sole will become a member of the his first bath (in what must have National Youth Cabinet of the been months) further endeared the Church of the Brethren. Represen- little chap in the men's eyes. tatives of Bridgewater, Elizabethtown, Juniata, Manchester, Mc-Pherson, LaVerne, and Bethany the universal language of happi-Biblical Seminary took part in the ness and facial expression told the voting.

Heisey, Gladys Stehman, Clara fathers in the outfit thought of their Waser, Jesse Brown, Ben Ebersole, Royer, Gilbert Young, and Earl faces when they see what Santa you give just a bit of your sub- schools will be visited. day Living.

#### Poetry of Two Students Makes College Anthology

James Whitacre's poem "Nature's Way" and Paul Sensenig's entry "To Jean" have been accepted by the National Poetry association for publication in the Annual Anthology of College Poetry for 1950.

The anthology is a compilation of the finest poetry written by college men and women all over the coun-

"To Jean," Mr. Sensenig's poem

Not of the flesh For it was not nourished. Not of the spirit For it was not blessed. A love that was-Yet it was not; So it be And thus I leave it.

#### S. Aldus Rinehart Elected to Board

J. Aldus Rinehart, 1347 Dickerson road, West Englewood, New Jersey, was elected to the board of trustees of Elizabethtown college at the fall district meetings of Eastern and Southern Pennsylvania.

A former student at Elizabethtown college, Mr. Rinehart is assistant manager of the department of taxes for the Electric Bond Service, Wall Street, New York City, and travels widely as a tax con-

A certified public accountant in | Monn, and Ray Snyder. the state of New York, Mr. Rinehart received his bachelor of science demaster's degree from New York uni-

# Musicale Tonight, Carolling, Parties **Highlight Campus Christmas Program**

#### SCM Will Entertain 50 Orphan Children

College students will act as hosts and hostesses to 50 orphan children at the annual SCM Christmas party held tomorrow night at 7 p.m. in the auditorium gymnasium.

The guests to be entertained at the yuletide program are from the Brethren orphans home, Neffsville, Pa. and the Mennonite children's home, Millersville, Pa. The ages years old and each child will be the guest of 2 college students.

Those wishing to help entertain will be required to sign the party sheet in the college store and on that basis will be given the name of

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#### Five Men, Four Women Win Scholastic Honors

Dean Henry G. Bucher has announced that nine students have made the dean's list for the first half of the first semester, 1949-50.

Seniors listed are: Edgar Bitting, William Davis, Robert Hess, LaRue

The Juniors are represented by Arthur Bowser and Mary Hess. gree from Juniata college and his Theresa Mohler and Patricia Boggs, sophomore and freshman, respectively, were also listed.

#### **D.** Albright Directs **Club Presentation**

Tonight at 7:30, as part of the pre-Christmas campus activities, a musicale under the direction of Prof. David Albright will be presented by the choral club in the auditorium.

Carolling through the streets of Elizabethtown will also be part of holiday campus activities on Thursday when students and faculty will meet in front of Alpha hall at 10 of the children range from 6 to 12 p.m. Professor Albright, who will lead the singing, has announced that no specific route has been desig-

> More than an hour of carolling is expected to be presented about the community. Choral club members will sing the less familiar songs while other carolers with the group will join in the singing of the more familiar Christmas anthems.

After they have completed their route, the group will return to Alpha hall, where refreshments will be served.

Other holiday programs include special yuletide music in the chapel and the college women's party in Alpha living room preceding the carolling on Thursday evening.

#### Inter-term Vacation January 26 to 31

The Administrative committee announces changes in the vacation schedule listed in the current cata-

Christmas vacation will end Jan. 3 at 7:40 a.m. instead of Jan. 2 at 1 p.m. and there will be an inter-

The pre-registration service made available to students eliminates the necessity for registration after semester examinations. Accordingly an inter-term recess beginning Thursday, Jan. 26 at 4 p.m. and ending Tuesday, Jan. 31 at 7:40 a. m. has been granted.

All students are urged to register according to their adviser's schedules and watch bulletin boards for announcement of time for payment of second semester bills.

## E. Espenshade Busy In New Field Work

Field representative Eby Espenshade reports that he has already reached schools in Franklin, Perry, Cumberland, Adams and York counties, in his work as field representative for Elizabethtown college.

He speaks to high school seniors interested in a small church-related liberal arts institution, such as Elizabethtown college.

Mr. Espenshade's itinerary will take him into twenty counties of Whatever your Christmas is like the southeastern section of Penn-

A new bulletin, illustrating the Today Mr. Groff and his soldier prayers for Cocomo and all of the campus, will be sent to the schools the Brethren, of which he is a mem- chairman of the seminar on Every- friends are in a land of plenty. other little Cocomos all over the where Mr. Espenshade has already interviewed students.

#### Little Cocomo, Chinese War Orphan, Wins Hearts of American Soldiers

By a Cub Reporter

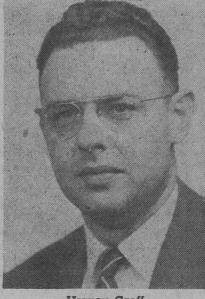
Can you imagine your feelings if you were a hungry, filthy, unclothed Chinese war orphan, and suddenly you were befriended by an term recess. American soldier and all your needs and wants were satisfied? Well, somewhere in China today, there is a boy with such feelings. The American soldier, stationed in

China during the war, was Mr. Harvey A. Groff, now a student at Elizabethtown College, and the Chinese boy, nam d Cocomo, was a young urchin of nine or ten years. Benjamin Ebersole was elected Cocomo was first sighted by Mr.

Little things like Cocomo's at-By virtue of his office Ben Eber- tempts to eat the soap when given

Although each was unable to understand the language of the other, American group just what Cocomo Attending the conference, whose thought when they presented him own sons at home, and of how

Where Cocomo is, they know not. | world?



Harvey Groff

Maybe he is still living with the honest coolie in whose care they left him when their outfit departed. What this Christmas will be like for Cocomo, only God knows.

stance and a few words of your

#### Students Ask:

How Does College Experience Contribute to Happiness in Marriage?

Many American marriages result from college romances.

But it college young people establish a higher-thanexpected number of happy homes, there must be reasons for it. Here are a few possible explanations:

- 1. College young people are a somewhat selected group of individuals. They are not a typical crosssection of American youth, but in a number of respects represent the finest traits of the communities from which they have come.
- 2. College students have more than average intelligence. The intellectual standards of some institutions are higher than those of others, but it can be assumed that most college students are on the upper half of the intelligence curve. And it is generally recognized that a good mind is an asset in marriage adjustment. One must hasten to confess, however, that some people who have a great deal of that which an intelligence test measures seem to be idiots in human relations. But they are the exception to the rule.
- 3. College students, in their extended years of schooling, meet many young people of their own age. This gives them an unusual opportunity to study personality traits, to compare themselves with others, to wear off their own "rough edges" and to finally select a marriage partner against this background of acquaintance with many people. It is normally assumed that the person who has known many people can make a wiser choice than can he who has had a limited acquaintance.
- 4. Marriages are strengthened when the two partners have many common interests and a similarity of background. Campus couples generally come from comparable communities and economic levels; they frequently have similar ideals; and their years in college give them mutual friends and many happy experiences together which, later in married life, are remembered with a great deal of satisfaction.
- 5. A less tangible value of college is often overlooked. Training which adds to one's vocational success, the information that is picked up in courses in human relations, the maturing of one's ideals and religious concepts . . . all of these are outcomes of college days and all have a profound meaning for marital hap-

(The Etownian requested that Prof. Galen C. Kilhefner give his views on the above question.)

#### Review:

#### Adaptation of Macbeth Successful

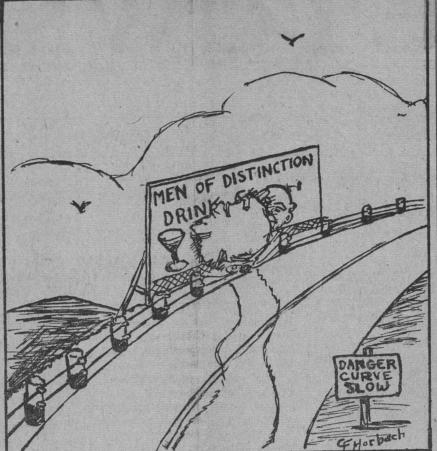
Six Sock and Buskin members brought Macbeth's Scotland to the college auditorium recently and proved that a Shakespearean drama can be successfully enacted by a small college club if properly adapted.

By use of a chorus to relate the story combined with excerpts from the original, the Shakespearean tragedy lost little of its effect through the adaptation. Unfortunately, as with all adaptations, a great deal of "filling-in" by the audience was necessary.

Israel Royer's interpretation of Macbeth was forceful. With full understanding of the man he portrayed, Mr. Royer brought to the audience the feeling of violence and pathos. Lady Macbeth was portrayed with depth and emotion by Ardyce Trout.

The chorus was delicately played by Celia Miller and Christine Hewett, while Janice Anderson and La-Rue Monn portrayed the prophet-witches with a spine tingling monotone voice that did much to color the play. Although the absence of the third witch was evident, it was not distracting.

The play was an excellent example of what can be done with a bare stage at little cost and with an interested and loyal group of players.



# Drinking — Driving — Dying

That exuberant Christmas spirit is a wonderful thing if it does not interfere with your holiday driving. The four high ranking causes for night accidents are: inadequate visibility, fog, fatigue, and alcohol.

Speaking of alcohol. Do not be misled by drinking advertisements. Liquor is your deadly enemy. Every two and one half minutes, a nonfatal automobile accident occurs as a result of alcohol and fatal accidents take place every hour and twenty minutes in the nation as a result of alcohol filled drivers. A million dollars is paid out by the nation annually for these reckless acts. Think twice before you "celebrate."

At this time of the year the roads are often bad and the weather conditions are unpredictable, so it pays to be careful. You need a pretty clear head to guide a ton and a half of metal over an icy road on a snowy day. There is no time for woolgathering.

Did you know that 32,000 pe ple died last year as a result of automobile accidents? According to the National Safety Council figures, someone was hurt by a car every 26 seconds, someone was crippled permanently every five minutes, and deaths took place every 15 minutes. Remember too, the accident rate for young drivers is four times that for middle aged drivers.

Night driving presents another problem. Two-thirds of the nation's traffic accidents happen at night. In 1948, deaths from night accidents numbered well over half of the total highway fatalities.

In addition, there are at least 3,000,000 more cars on the road than before the war, and these are driven twice as far during the year.

Let the figures speak for themselves. Christmas can be a time of good cheer, but if you value your life it pays to be careful of your driving.

# Good Cheer of Christmas Bells

Ring long all bells, thy music swells, to ears of many men. Commemorate that holy date when God his Son did send. Ring in each ear the season's cheer. Break through the evening's still. And loud and sweet the words repeat, peace on the earth, good will. For they that hear the bells' good cheer, that tell His holy birth, Should keep in mind it's Christmas time that's heard throughout the earth. And they that hear the bells' good cheer should pass it on some way; Give all the rest some happiness on this fine Christmas Day. -H. R. M.

#### With Our Eds and Coeds

Alice Weicksel recently gave a caponizing demonstration at a meeting of the Lancaster County 4-H Club held at the Hotel Brunswick, Lancaster.

The engagement of Karl Kolva and Mary Lau has been announced.

The economics class has been wondering where Neal Holabaugh gets his wealth of information about the devaluation of the English pound. One source could be that London newspaper to which he subscribes, and another could be his English wife.

Jo Ann Mathias won second award in the Pennsylvania School Press Association for a feature article, "Highlights (and Sidelights) of Little U. N." This was published March 24, 1949, in "Blue and Gold," the Waynesboro senior high school newspaper. The award says she gave a "complete and thrilling" account of the Tri-Hi-Y U.N. conference held in Harrisburg on March 18 and 19, 1949.

In education psychology class Dr. Henry Bucher recently suggested as a means for prospective teachers to recapture the interest and attention of their pupils, that the class stand and sing, "She'll Be Coming Around the Mountain." His psychology class is waiting to see if he'll practice what he

Among those who saw "The Student Prince" at Hershey during November were: Louise Hicks, Harry Shuster, Mrs. Betty Caplan, Lois Erb, Sally Reddig, Lois Keim, Harvey Brandt, Cora Mae Gettel, Carlos Ziegler, Eugene Swords, and Barbara Bow-

Christmas vacation will not be all play for some of our classmates. Joan Martin will be working in Grace Blough's store in Elizabethtown, Galen Fahnestock will be doing post office work, and Theresa Mohler will have a tonsilectomy.

Christine Hewett, Gwendolyn Roddy and Mary Hess recently presented a Sunday school lesson to a ward of children at the Crippled Children's hos-

#### Did You Know That

some men are like pins. They have their good points but they are likely to stick you.

. . Memorial hall had a dormitory party Nov. 17 in the social room of the hall. Matthew Meyer is the Proctor.

. . . Russel Winters is leaving the employ of the college to go to a 130 acre farm near Shells-

. . . the "Daisy Mae's" at the Sadie Hawkins party had to identify their escorts by their legs as they stood behind the curtain.

. . . before marriage a man yearns for a woman. After marriage the "y" is silent.

one of the practice teachers (name withheld) has changed the spelling of the word environment which even Webster has not heard about. The new spelling is enviornment.

. a number of college students participated in the Christmas play "Come Let Us Adore Him" held in the Washington Street Church of the Brethren on Dec. 11. Students taking part were: Joan Martin, Elsie Bomgardner, Walton Moyer, Harold Gieb, Paul Grubb, Ellis Shenk, and Julius

. . revival services have been held recently in the churches of Kenneth Weaver and William Longenecker. Both are student pastors.

more people are dying every day from criticism than from cancer.

. you may be a fine upstanding citizen, but that doesn't mean anything to a banana peel.

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# Santa Claus for Grownups?

"You know how I knew when I was a grownup?" "No, how?"

"When I stopped believing in Santa Claus!" So you stopped believing in Santa Claus! You found out who he really was and now that you are really grownup, they can't fool you anymore. You know, though, you are the fool.

Santa Claus isn't just a story book character. And he isn't a symbol that many people use to bribe children into being good for at least once in

He is a part of the spirit of a gracious season, a symbol of kindness, love happiness, and friendship. He represents faith, wisdom, hope, and loyalty Santa Claus is just about everything Christmas should be.

And should grownups believe in Santa Claus? Why, if you are any kind of a grownup, you are Santa Claus.

#### Thinking Stops Teenicide

Every twenty-four hours eighty-nine lives are lost in traffic accidents. Twenty-three percent of this number involve school age drivers between 16 and 24 years of age. Stop this type of teenicide-drive care-

When such startling statistics as the above are on a public record, it is time for an all out drive on traffic safety. What can we college students do about it?

Learning to drive is part of the process of growing up, but learning to drive safely indicates mature and ntelligent thinking. Only mature persons should be allowed to operate motor vehicles. DO YOUR PART!

-A. S.

## Many Rejected Cars Living On Campus; Fords, Chevies, Buicks Putt About

By a Gub Reperier

Since the downward trend in automobile prices many "rejected" cars have appeared on the campus this year. The most recent acquisition is that of Gerald Burdick; a 1931 Buick. Although Gerry earries no antitreeze and drains the water each evening from the radiator, he is well pleased with his himousine

Forensic Club Holds

Pre-Season Debates

Four pre-season debates have ini-

tiated the schedule for the campus debating club. Under the direction

of Professor Mahlon Hellerich, the

group is debating the national prop-

States should nationalize basic non-

Debates have already been held

with Messiah Bible college, Kings

college, Wilkes-Barre, and Buck-

nell. Four teams and Joyce Foley,

student judge, attended the Temple

Novice Tournament in Philadelphia.

The club also participated in the

Gettysburg pre-season tournament.

Elizabethtown affirmative deba-

ters are Clyde Weaver, Warren Kis-

singer, Armon Snowden, and Hart-

mut von Hentig. Arguing the nega-

tive are Joyce Foley, George Bren-

nan, Howard Wittel, Gerald Fos-

College Band Entertains

A piano and accordion, not usual-

ly found in such groups, are among

the 16 instruments in the conege

band according to Prof. Galen Herr,

Christmas musicale, the organiza-

tion also expects to play at forth-

coming pep-rallies, some athletic

functions, May day, and when inci-

The band practices every Mon-

day night in the college auditorium.

Weaver Notes Progress of

Clyde E. Weaver, chairman of the student chapel building project, an-

nounces that the plans for this

small stone structure are still in

progress under the sponsorship of

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agricultural industries.

Not to be outdone by Gerry is Preston Rohrbaugh with a 1929 super deluxe Ford coupe. To quote Mr. Rohibaugh "My Ford has everything a 1950 doesn't." Also in this class of discarded Fords is Dale Hylton's 1930 Model "T."

During the Thanksgiving vacation. Fred Wilkins, owner of a 1930 Chevrolet, acquired a special builtin deluxe radiator cooling system for his auto. It seems Mr. Wilkins had much trouble in getting home for the holidays.

Last minute additions to the rejected car owners are Jack Kline, Jack Herr and Thomas Kingree, all proud owners of pedigree mobiles.

#### FTA Merit System Helps **Prospective Teachers**

To prepare teachers for effective relationships in school life is the aim of the Future Teachers of America merit point system, according to James Whitacre, local F.T.A. president.

A merit point being defined as one hour's work on an F.T.A. project, chosen from a wide range of educational activities, a member must have 50 points to receive a certificate of merit. Such an award is issued in the senior year by the National Secretary upon receipt of the member's points and the sponsor's recommendation.

It is the hope of the president that each member of the local chapter will earn from 50 to 100 merit points each year, because these certificates are a mark of professional achievement.

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#### C. Frederick Horbach Heads Freshman Class osition: Resolved, that the United

C. Frederick Horbach was elected president of the class of 1953 at a pre-Thanksgiving meeting.

Carlos Ziegler was chosen vicepresident, Betty Ann Hammers, secretary, and Ellis Shenk, treas-

Serving on the Women's and Men's Student Councils are Barbara Bowman and Kenneth Reighard, respectively.

Dean Eby C. Espenshade is adviser to the freshman class.

#### Clubs' New Members, **Activities Reported**

New members of the Science club, according to Jesse Sheetz, president, are: Tyrone Benner, James Obetz, Catherine Stumpfer and Sally Reddig.

Mrs. Jean Herr, president of the Sock and Buskin club has announced that Gilbert Young, Celia Miller and I uise Bartenslager have been accimed into the dramatic group.

Paul Raffonsper president of the French club, ports that the the evening entire club travel d to Landisville The comm recently to see a l rench movie entitled "Farralbeque." French products, such as wood carvings and pottery, were also seen by the group in an exhibit.

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## Rare Volumes Given Library by Professor

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The college library may have on its shelves a collector's item.

Two rare volumes on witchcraft, edited by the German philosopher Paracelsus of the 14th century, have been donated to the library by Dr. R. W. Schlosser.

These encyclopedias, written in high German, contain many of the formulae for curing diseases. Arranged in alphabetical order, the remedies cover everything from a broken fingernail to a heart attack. People of this locality should find this material especially fascinating since superstition played such a predominant role in the heritage.

An ancestor of Doctor Schlosser. who was in the medical profession, had used these books as reference. After new methods were introduced the books were discarded, and it was a fortunate accident that Doctor Schlosser discovered them in the attic of a relative.

#### SCM PARTY

(Continued from Page 1) the child they will care for during

The committee in charge of the Christmas party include Clyde Weaver, chairman, Mary Greenawalt, Joan Martin, and Julius Bel-

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## Penna. Audio-Visual Association Forming

Dr. Charles S. Apgar and Professor Elmer B. Hoover attended a statewide meeting for the formation of the Pennsylvania Audio-Visual Association for Teacher Training held at State college on November 4 and 5.

The association was established to promote the use of audio-visual aids in Pennsylvania colleges and 4 4 2 during the meetings a series of five objectives were formulated as follows: skill in mechanical operation of equipment; skill in locating, selecting and processing material for use; appreciation of effectiveness and scope of sensory aids; use of sensory aids in effective teaching: and the production, organization and care of materials and supplies.

Ultimate goal of the association is the enactment of legislature requiring a three semester-hour course in audio-visual aids as a requisite for a teacher's certificate.

The University of Pennsylvania, Millersville State Teachers college, Grove City college, Temple university. Cargenie Institute of Technology and Elizabethtown were repnesented at the meetings which were concluded by a luncheon and am address by Mr. L. P. Greenhill, University of Melbourne. Mr. Greenhill's subject, "Teacher training in Audio-Visual Aids in England amd Australia," emphasized the importance of audio-visual in education and stated that the United States and Australia are farther advanced in their use than is England.

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#### Bluejays Scare Gettysburg, 48-50 Score; Lose to Kings and Millersville State

In the opening game of the season for both teams, the scrappy Bluejays outfought and outplayed a top-notch Gettysburg college team right down to the wire, falling short in the only place where it really countsthe points department.

The final score was 50-48, but this does not actually give a true picture. After committing twelve personal fouls in the first half, the G-burg boys managed in some "unknown" manner to be charged with only three in the second half. It was a terrific event, however, from start to finish, and every man in the game displayed an excellent brand of basketball.



Big Ed Brunner was removed from the contest early in the second half when he twisted his ankle, and was unable to return to action because of serious swelling. Bill Foster tallied 14 points for E-town, just one more than the Bullets' Bucky Harris.

Foul tosses proved the deciding factor as a surprisingly strong Kings college (Del.) team edged the Jays by a 54 to 53 score. Although the visitors connected with only 12 of their 23 attempts, it was more than enough as E-town had only 9 chances, sinking 5 of them. High point man of the game was the visitor's George Dempsey who had 7 field goals and 7 fouls for 21 points. Top man for E-town was again Foster with 13 counters.

Dec. 3-On the home floor, the E-towners, without the services of Ed Brunner, found a visiting Millersville State teachers team too big, too fast, and too hot to handle as they dropped their third straight. Millersville, with DePoe and Weaver leading the attack and hitting from all angles, jumped into a 23 to 14 first quarter lead and held it throughout to outscore the Jays by a 68-58 score.

The game was fast and furious, with a total of 54 fouls being called -24 of them against Millersville, and 30 against E-town. Of their 33 free tosses, they made 17, while E-town cashed in on 14 of the 33 they were awarded. The Bluejays had an "off" night in shots, and were unable to hit from outside.

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St. Joseph's college of Philadelphia displayed the power that gives them national ranking as they defeated the Blue and Gray to the tune of 74-59. The game was played in the new St. Joe field house last Wednesday evening.

After hopping off to a quick lead, the Jays faded temporarily in the second quarter to trail 40-27 at halftime, then rallied to hold their own in the second half only to come out on the short end of the decision.

As leading players Paul Senesky. Hawk center and one of the state's high scorers last year, poured in 25 points to pace the attack while Bill Foster, fast and classy E-towner, topped the losers with 21 mark-

#### First Win of Season Over Juniata 67-53

Paced by Haverstick and Foster, the Jays hit the cords hot and heavy in the first and last quarters to win going away over a scrappy, but outmanned, Juniata quintet by a score of 67-53. It was the third home game of the season for E-town, and the first win. Weather conditions undoubtedly held down the attendance at the contest played Saturday night in the Alumni Gymnasium.

After hopping off to a 23-11 lead at the quarter, the boys found shotmaking difficult as the visitors cut the lead to six points as the half ended. The third quarter was about even-steven with the Huntingdon boys tying the score at one point. The last quarter, however, provided a clear-cut decision as the E-towners rallied to outscore the opponents 24 to 17 and take the game with plenty to spare.

The box score is as follows:

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## E-town Girls Topple Kings Five by 53-24

The E-town girls' team got off to a fast start and led all the way to top the Kings college girls by a 53-24 count on December 2 in the gymnasium.

It was the season opener for the Bluebirds, and gave notice that the spectators could expect some good basketball when they continue their schedule after the holidays.

The game was highlighted by fine defensive play and a fast offense which featured LaRue Monn on the pivot and Helen Kreider and Shirley Warner as the breaking for-

wards. Janice Anderson, Doris Kopp and Jo Ann Mathias were the starting guards. First-rate passing prevailed throughout the game.

Monn topped the scorers for the evening with 28 points, followed by Warner and Kreider with 13 and 8 points, respectively. The other forwards for E-town were Jean Bagentose, Cora Mae Gettle and Alice Weicksel and the guards (non-scoring) were Dotty Bomberger, Miriam Beane, Phyllis Saylor.

> NEXT ISSUE: REVIEW OF J.V. GAMES

"Of one thing I am certain," said Dr. Rufus Bowman, "the spirit, the message, the teachings of Jesus Christ are what this world needs." This statement summarizes the message of the fiftieth Bible Institue held on campus recently.

The institute was conducted by Dr. Rufus Bowman, president of Bethany Biblical seminary in Chicago and Dr. Burton Metzler, professor of Philosophy and Religion at McPherson college, Kansas.

Doctor Bowman who returned recently from an inspection tour of Brethren relief work in Europe, China and India assured his listeners that the relief sent by the church does get there and is properly distributed.

Doctor Metzler devoted his evening studies to the book of Romans. Special music during the week of religious emphasis was provided by

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# **English Pianist Appears in Concert;** Katherine Bacon Interprets Masters

#### **Association of American Colleges Sponsors Julliard Professor**

English pianist, Katherine Bacon, will give a concert Wednesday, February 8, at 8 p.m. in the Elizabethtown college auditorium. The program will consist of three parts.

Part one will include two sonatas by Scarlatti: C major, E major;

Toccata by Paradise; Sonata in De minor, Opus 31, No. 2 by Beethoven.

In the second part she will play selections from Chopin: Ballade in G minor, Opus 23; three Etudes, A flat, F minor, F major; and Scherzo in C sharp minor, Opus 39.



Katherine Bacon

Following an intermission Miss Bacon will conclude her program with three works by Ravel: Jeux D'Eau, Pavane, and Toccata.

Miss Bacon made her first public appearance at the age of seven. Since then she has made numerous appearances as a concert pianist. Studying the piano in London and later at the Peabody Conservatory in Baltimore, Katherine Bacon is now a member of the faculty of The Julliard School of Music.

This marks Miss Bacon's ninth year as concert artist under the auices of the Association of American Colleges.

The program has been arranged by the college lyceum committee. Mr. E. G. Meyer is chairman.

#### **Eight Seniors End** Studies at E-town

Eight seniors complete their course of study at the end of the first semester.

John Lichty, receiving an A.B. degree, is now teaching health and coaching basketball at the Bainbridge high school. Ray Snyder will teach languages at the Carlisle high school while Harry Earhart will attend graduate school at the University of Pennsylvania.

Others completing their studies are: Donald Bohrer, William Davis, Navin McWilliams, John Hitz and submit their suggestions on Febru-William Keller.

## The A Cappella Choir To Present Concerts

New gowns of royal blue will be worn by the A Cappella choir as the singers of Elizabethtown college give their concert in the churches of Eastern and Southern Pennsylvania.

The choir which has been presenting concerts for the last sixteen years will give a program which is divided into four parts. In the first part which is centered on God, there are such numbers as: "Lord of Music" (theme), Troup, arr. Albright, and "Send Forth Thy Spirit," Schuetky. Christ is the theme of the second portion of the program and it includes: "The Shepherds' Story," Dickinson, and the first selection is "Alleluia! Christ initis," that end of semester disease, is Risen," Kopohyoff.

The third group of songs are Negro spirituals such as "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen,' "Steal Away" and "Roll Chariot,"

The concluding part of the concert is: "Our Master Hath a Garden," arr. Clokey; "Thine is the Greatness," Borlnansky; "Jesus, Our Lord, We Adore Thee," Will James; and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You," Lutkin.

The members of the choir are: sopranos-Elsie Bomgardner, Nancy Mathias, Lucille Heisey, Marie Schroyer, Barbara Bowman, Betty Ann Hammers, Charmer Hershey and Barbara Nelson.

Altos—Theresa Mohler, Vivian Snyder, Gladys Stehman, Helen Kreider, Lois Keim and Lois Rinehart.

Tenors-Harvey Brandt, Mervin Hess, Carl Frederick, Kenneth Reighard, Howard Wittel, Carlos Zieg-

Basses-Robert Enterline, Armon Snowden, Gene Swords, Harold Geib, Harold Merkey, Matthew Meyer and Ellis Shenk.

#### Constitution Revisions Necessary Say Students

To revise the student government constitution was the motion adopted by 225 students attending a special meeting recently called by the student senate.

Mervin Hess, president of the student government association, will name a committee to prepare recommendations concerning the revising of the constitution which was considered "too bulky."

The committee on revisions will

#### College to Welcome Nine New Students

Elizabethtown college will welcome nine new students for the second semester.

Mrs. Luella Keener who attended this college from 1929 to 1931 will finish her education. She plans to teach on the mission field.

A graduate nurse, Miss Gladys Paul, now working at the Crippled Children's hospital, will further her education here.

Frederick Boyer, Pillow, Pa., a graduate of Juniata will take up secondary education.

Miss Donnadale Smucker, of Indiana, will attend Elizabethtown as a sophomore.

Freshmen will include: Roland von Hentig, Los Angeles, Calif., a brother of Hartmut von Hentig; Frederick Williams, Harrisburg; Robert Hollinger, Reading; and George Gabel, Steelton.

Dale Klinefelter of Middletown will also enter as a freshman second

#### Deans Announce Tea To Ease 'Examinitis'

Vera R. Hackman and Eby Espenshade, deans of women and men, respectively, will give a tea on January 24 in the Alpha hall social room from 3 to 4 p.m.

mutual symptoms.

# Old Editions and Texts to Be Sold; Library Book Auction Jan. 23 In Gym

#### Walter Dupes Will Act as Auctioneer; Proceeds to Buy New Children's Books

Some rare editions, dating back to the middle of the 1800's, and textbooks will be among the two hundred books which will be sold at auction on Monday, January 23, from 8 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. in the auditoriumgymnasium, Miss Alice Sylvester, librarian, has announced.

#### Etownian Staff Step-ups Effective Next Issue

Etownian staff promotions will become effective with the February issue of the newspaper.

Carl Liggio becomes editor with Arthur Bowser as his assistant.

Other promotions for members of the class in journalism include: news editor, Gwendolyn Roddy with John Dean assistant and alumni editor, Vivian Snyder.

Heading the sports section is William Helm, sports editor, to be assisted by Robert Kline. Business and circulation managers are Armon Snowden and Ben Ebersole, winner of the EE award for the most active student of '49.

Reporters for the Etownian will Kauffman, winner of EE award for Manifold, Celia Ann Miller, Kenwill have an opportunity to discuss neth Reighard, Albert Seldomridge, David Snavely and Earl Ziegler.

Professional auctioneer, Walter Dupes, from Elizabethtown, has volunteered his services for this project. The proceeds of the auction are expected to be used to buy new library books to supplement the children's literature course, to be offered next semester by Miss Syl-

Biographies, adventure stories, children's books and texts will be sold to the highest bidders. "The books will be valuable to many people" the librarian commented, "even though they are not necessities for a college library.'

A tentative plan which would allow students and others to bring any books they may wish to be auctioned is being considered.

Refreshments will be served under the direction of Pauline Nissley and Betty Whitmore. Charmaine include: Jay Frantz, Jack Herr, Carl Fickes and Sally Reddig are in charge of publicity while Laura Mae the best news feature of '49, Hugh Boone and Carl Liggio will be responsible for preparing the books for the auction.

#### Annual Business Seminar Programs Are Distributed

Programs for the third annual business and education seminar to be held on campus on March 25, are being distributed to different business groups, Mr. K. Ezra Bucher, business manager, has announced.

"This Partnership of Ours (School and Office)" will be the theme of the seminar which is designed to bring about a better working agreement between office and school.

The project is sponsored by the Harrisburg, Lancaster and York chapters of the National Office Management association and Elizabeth-

#### Dr. Baugher Lists Schedule Thru Feb.

Today in the State theatre building in Harrisburg, Dr. A. C. Baugher, president, is attending a meeting of the Committee of College Presidents of Pennsylvania to plan summer work conferences.

On Saturday, Doctor Baugher will speak at the Bible Institute of the Miday Church of the Brethren near Lebanon.

An address to the Hershey Rotary club on an "Expository Interpretation of the Book of Daniel," will be given by the president on January

In Philadelphia on February 17, Doctor Baugher will represent Elizabethtown college at the inaugural services for Gilbert Lee Griffin, president of Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, to be held at Tem-/ ple university.

## Investments Made by History Students Arouse Curiosity of sople on Campus



Margaret Bose and Harold Ebersole engaged in doing U.S. History Maps.

By Gwendolyn Roddy

They're only \$.02½ apiece in the eagerly working on them. college store. A lifetime investment is being made these days by a hundred students, and many more are expected to invest in the coming

The entire campus has felt the impact of this activity. Everywherein the social room, in the game

room, in room 341 - students are

There are several good (?) rea- 23 at Hershey. sons why students have taken advantage of these items.

The present value for the student is the great educational stimulus received from working with them. More and more visual education is

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# The 1949 Etownian Editorial awards

The editorial staff of the Etownian feels that it too must hand out annual awards for the best or most of this or that - and here are our 1949 Etownian Editorial

Best example of school spirit was shown by those who worked on the anniversary college float which won third prize in Elizabethtown's Halloween parade.

The EE award for the best actress goes to Ardyce Trout for her performance as Lady Macbeth in the recent Sock and Buskin presentation of the Shakespearian

The best actor award is given to Israel Royer for his challenging performance as Macbeth in the same produc-

The best feature story was written by Carl Kauffman; it appeared in the December 13, 1949 issue of the Etownian and humorously concerned the old cars on campus.

The EE award for the most active club is granted to the SCM which has sponsored everything from deputation teams to parties for orphan children. Jesse Brown is pres-

Most promising freshmen are C. Frederick Horbach, who has done so much of the art work recently displayed and who is also class president, and Clara Wasser who is always active, not only in campus groups, but nation-

The EE award for the most promising athlete is given to "big" Ed Brunner who has really scored them on the

The most embarrassing moment was the time the sophomores were pulled into the lake for the third time out of four by the freshmen.

The most active student's award goes to Benjamin Ebersole, whose activities range from dramatics to work with the Church of the Brethren on a national scale, and to LaRue Monn who regularly appears on more committees and in more clubs.

The EE award for the best organized project is given to Robert Leidner for his work as chairman of the 1949 May Day program.

Best Lyceum event was the appearance of the Ambassadors of Song.

The crowning achievement was Elizabethtown college's fiftieth anniversary.

Best poem was written by Paul Sensenig and was entitled "To Jean." It appeared in the December 13, 1949 Etownian and will soon be published in a national anthology of college poetry.

The best original cartoon was Fred Horbach's "Religion a factor in the acceptance of college applications?" It appeared in the November 15, 1949 issue of the Etown-

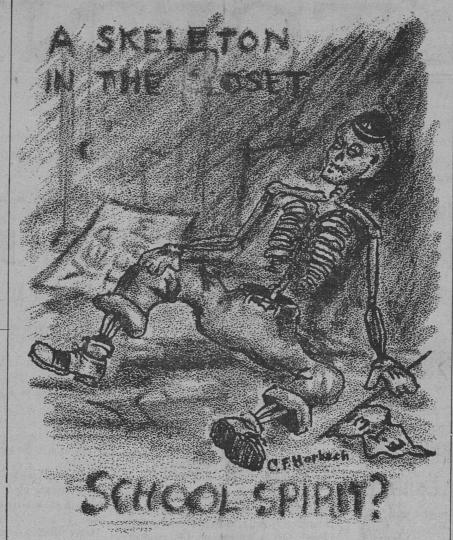
The Christian statesman of '49 was Clyde Weaver, who suggested the nomination in his "letter to the editor" as it appeared in the October issue of the Etownian.

The EE award for the best prediction is: America has passed through the gay '90s, the roaring '20s, and is now on the brink of the anxious '50s.

Concerning the EE Awards:

The EE Awards listed above were decided upon without influence or bias by the Etownian Editorial Committee composed of the editor, assistant-editor, news editor and sports editor.

The awards reflect only the opinion of these editors. We hope that you will be interested enough in the ETOWNIAN EDITORIAL AWARDS, to continue the project from year to



#### Patricia Whitaker commenting:

Just how much school spirit is there here at E-town? You may laugh and say that no one around here even knows what school spirit is. Yes, if we admit it, it is the truth.

You may say "I go to the basketball games." But that is a mere noth-You are just rationalizing for yourself.

Do you go to the pep rallies? Only one-fifth of you could answer yes to that question. There weren't more than seventy-five students at the last pep rally, before the first basketball game with Gettysburg. What a showing! The attendance should have been a 100% of the student body.

You may say, "why should I go to the pep rallies?" I know all the cheers. It certainly didn't sound like it at the basketball game we had with Juniata, when on two different occasions the cheerleaders were on the floor and not one person on the bleachers helped.

Then some say, "I don't like such and such a cheerleader. She's no good." Could you do any better? If you could then you don't have one bit of spirit because you should have offered your talents for the betterment of your

There are some persons who say "I guess I won't go to the game tonight. The fellows will get licked." So what? That's just when they need your support. It is twice as important that the players know that the students are out there with all their faith in them until the end. Just because there are only three minutes to play and our boys are fifteen points behind is no reason for you to put your coat on and walk out the door. The boys don't go down to the showers three minutes before the game is over.

No, it isn't only in athletics that our poor spirit shows up. How many times have you said to a friend when he asked you if you were going to a certain party on campus, "Why should I go to that thing. That's so boring. I'd fall asleep. Why don't you go along to the show with me instead. Nobody ever goes to those things anyway." Practically everyone of us is guilty of that. Did you ever go to one of the parties with the idea that you were going to have a good time? Try it.

Then there is the matter of the faculty. They may say that they have nothing to do with school spirit. They are only rationalizing for themselves. Who ever heard of a school without teachers. No one. Then why don't they have something to do with school spirit. They certainly want everyone to think that the school they teach in is a good one.

Well, then why don't they turn out to the games, or lyceum and dramatic events? Yes, some of them do come, but do they show any spirit? May-

We all care about what happens to our school, so let's set out to do something about it, instead of just standing around like a bunch of lifeless are attending programs at the Academy of Music in characters with no ego about us at all.

#### With Our Eds and Coeds

The number of day students increased recently when Josephine Bowman moved from Fairview hall

Roy Arnold received his Christmas present early when his wife presented him with a baby boy about two weeks before vacation.

Students engaged during the holiday season included: 'Theresa Mohler and John Henry Herr; Miriam Hersch and Gerald Weaver; Janet Myers, x-'49, and Darwin Hollinger; Maxine Bowman and Glenn Zug; Donnadale Smucker and Israel Royer; Beulah Barnthouse and Harold Ebersole.

Patricia Hogg and Michael Donnelly were married December 17 in the First Presbyterian Church, Lan-

Since vacation many of the seniors, majoring in education, seem so rested and relieved - and they should be. Most of them have finished practice teaching. Joan Martin sums it up "I think we all hated to say goodbye to our pupils."

John Consley, sophomore, and Nancy Manifold were married on December 26 in the First Presbyterian Church, York. Hugh Manifold was Consley's best man and Jack Herr an usher.

Nancy Basehore, violinist, and Edgar Bitting, flutist, will appear with the Harrisburg Symphony orchestra in its concert on January 31, 1950, when Constance Keene, pianist, will be guest soloist.

Some students who spend much of their time on weekends attending markets are Phyllis Dougherty, who sells potato chips in the Lebanon Market; Nancy Seldomridge, who is employed selling meat at the Sharon Hill Market in Philadelphia; Earl Ziegler, a salesman of candy at the Market Basket in Elizabethtown; and Vivian Snyder, who attends the Market Basket and the Hill Market in Harrisburg selling fruit.

#### Did You Know That

rapid progress is not always desirable? The only progress certain to be rapid is progress downhill.

. . . . Gerald Fosbenner ate a huge pickle, a banana split and an order of French fries, all at one sitting?

. . . girls are seldom as bad as they paint themselves?

. . . . The House Un-American Activities committee is un-American?

. . . a sweet young freshman girl after reading Paul Sensenig's EE award winning poem "To Jean" remarked "It must be good; I can't un-

. . . Bethany Biblical Seminary has been given an "A" rating for its overall strength among seminaries of the country.

. . . the college is joining with a number of local organizations to promote Elizabethtown as a community and advertise its merits. Two large floodlighted Welcome to Elizabethtown signs will be erected in the near future at either end of town.

. . . some people think it's more important for them to approve of you, than it is for you to approve of them?

. . . even if you are on the right track you will be run over if you sit there?

. . . all of us want a lot of things we don't need and need a lot of things we don't want? . . . . women who always think they are

. . . it takes two to make a marriage: a young girl and an anxious mother?

. . . Paul Sensenig and Colonel Lyles '49 Philadelphia.

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#### Your Student President Speaking:

There is sentiment on campus for a less cumbersome and more democratic form of student government.

Usually the cause for failure of democracy is due to abandonment which can, frequently—as is likely the case here -be traced to a feeling of indifference. Very simply then, the democracy in which you do not participate is no longer a democracy. You have prevented it from being what it could be and have forfeited the right to blame it for our failure.

Public opinion on campus evidences the fact that there is contention existing between students and administration. This suggests that someone is not utilizing the channels of communication which could be used. The Student Senate has traced much of this to the inadequacies of our present constitution of the Student Association.

On the one hand, its bulky size and vague details have

prevented students from becoming "informed." Nobody can see what channels of action should be used and where respon-

On the other hand, you students seldom approach the administration with independent and determined action; thus they need to assume the role of making decisions or decisions would likely never be made. It is time to discard the belief that there is ill-intention on the part of the administration, for you have not expressed a desire to assume more responsi-

Our student senate has come to be looked upon as no more than the French Club or the Sock and Buskin Club, or is associated with the traditional "hay ride," or merely a part of our social and educational program. Student government is more than that. Its immediate purpose is to provide a means whereby students may organize so as to be able to participate in those functions of a college which directly affect their social, economic, physical and intellectual welfare.-J. Mervin Hess.

#### Students Bone for Final Examinations; Some Worry, Laugh, Stumble Through

Within the course of human events there come many times of reckoning. Here we must add all our assets and subtract them from what has been expected of us. It is always our hope at these testing times that we can, at least, balance the scales and perhaps make the accomplishment

side of life just a little bit heavier than that of the failure. Final examinations is a time such as this.

For upperclassmen it is an old story but ever new. For freshmen it has various appeals. Some are excited, some fearful, some cheerful, most are concerned, and there are always a few who appear quite bored. When asked how the final examinations would affect them, some students said simply, they would take them in their stride.

#### Some People Stumble

Did you ever notice how some people stumble around? One boy said, "Now that's a stupid question," and I agree with him. It is, as long as you don't have any stupid answers. One girl remarked, "Are you kidding?" I wasn't, but on examination day the joke's on her.

Someone said, "I haven't given it much thought." Well at least his answer was an honest one. One fellow said, "Tell it to the marines." I don't know whether he is as well informed as the marines, for they usually have the situation well in hand. It seemed to me that few people had a kind word for any examination program.

To be very idealistic, the true purpose of a final examination is to enable a student to recall facts, formulas, and functions in a systematic way, proving beyond the shadow of a doubt that the learning process has been exercised. In other words, "the only thing to fear is fear itself" and final examinations.

#### Prescription for Success

For those who wish a prescription for success this is it. Digest some portion of the textbook each day. Add plenty of sunshine and rest. Repeat each class day throughout the week. Use only as directed. See your instructor if ignorance persists. Periodic tests will be given to determine progress and give momentary relief.

After completing suggested treatment meet with your instructor for final examination. Don't let the marks revealed in the examination excite you for they will leave no scars. Slow students should dilute the prescription in proportion to the strength desired.

Always remember, those who reap what others sow never have to weep because they didn't know.

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#### Loyalties We Share Unite Us: Regner

Speaking on the "Lovalties We Share," Rabbi Sidney L. Regner of the Congregation Club Sholom, Reading, declared that "we're going to have a better human race only when we live up to the highest ideals of our faith.'



Rabbi S. Regner

In stressing the similarities between Judaism and Christianity Rabbi Regner stated that although race, religious and theological differences exist the basic principles are the same. He also pointed out three values we share. They are: (1) respect for the individual, (2) unity of mankind and (3) the idea of responsibility.

While suggesting differences in the matter of religious holidays, worship and ceremonies, the speaker emphasized that "each individual finds in his own religion his greatest inspiration."

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#### Campus Clubs Announce Diversified Activities

Prof. David Albright has announced that an invitation will be extended to the public to join the Choral club. Consequently, the name of the club will be changed to the Elizabethtown College Community chorus.

The college choral club has begun rehearsals in preparation for "The Holy City," an oratorio by A. R. Gaul, on April 28.

Mrs. Jean Herr, president of the Sock and Buskin club, announces that plans are in progress for a February production of monologues on modern day life in New York

The dramatic club is also making arrangements for the admission of freshmen into the group. Announcements will be posted on campus for those wishing to join.

The Comerciantes club, Edgar Bitting, president, will attend the Ice Capades at Hershey on Febru-

Kathryn Long, '47, visited campus recently after she had returned from a two year stay in France. Working under the auspices of the Mennonite Service committee, Miss Long spent the first two and one-half months in Italy, and then transferred to France where she was a nurse in a children's home near Strasbourg in Alsace Lorraine.

When Mary Brubaker, '47, and Ruth Mumma, '48, were in Europe last summer on a three-month student tour they visited Miss Long. The three spent the day cruising on the Rhine on Hitler's yacht, now operated by American occupation

In the "new babies department" of Alumni news, it was announced that a daughter Kathleen was born on December 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bryer. Mrs. Bryer is the former Kathleen Baugher, '49.

A daughter, Susan Elizabeth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nation on December 31. Mr. Nation, '49, is bookkeeper for the college.

The engagement of John Lefever, 49, and Romaine Hertzog, '45 has been announced.

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## Rare 1902 College Catalogue Stimulates Comparison With 50th Anniversary Edition

Have you ever seen the 1902 catalogue of Elizabethtown college? Walton Moyer has a rare copy, belonging to his grandmother, and in comparison to the 1950 edition-well, it's just quite a comparison.

Things were entirely different when the second class of Elizabethtown R. Trimmer Appoints

**Banquet Committees** Robert Trimmer, president of the junior class, reported that committees for the annual junior-senior banquet have been named.

Robert Enterline will be in charge of arrangements. Charmaine Fickes and Margaret Bose are chairmen of the decorations and invitations committees, and Benjamin Ebersole heads the program group.

#### Ten New Life Members Join Alumni Association

Ten persons have been accepted as life members of the Alumni association since November 1, alumnisecretary Eby C. Espenshade has announced.

With the present total at 208 life members, the goal for this year is fifty new members, one for each year of the college's existence.

New life members are: Grace C. Blough x-'30, Grace F. Gardner x-'45, Helen M. Herbst '38, Garnette Martin '37, Martha Bucher '42, Naomi Hackman x-'11, Henry B Brandt '14, Paul M. Grubb x-'24, Paul S. Herr '36 and John M. Martin x-'38.

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college entered Alpha hall in 1902. The school consisted of that one building, a faculty of four men and two women, and a year's expenses of approximately \$373. This figure included tuition, room and board, light and fuel, library fee and even carpets in the men's dormitory rooms. (The women's rooms were carpeted without charge.)

An outline for the first year in the Literary Course included penmanship, vocal music, orthrography, elocution, grammar, arithmetic. mental arithmetic, political geography and map drawing, letter writing, United States history, and composition, subjects that an up-to-date Gibson girl just had to know!

Although somewhat similar to the average freshman course a number of outstanding changes have been adopted in the fifty-year evolution of the course outline, such as teacher training, Bible, academic and commercial fields.

The second annual catalogue, 1901-1902, included many interesting statements concerning the needs of the college. A single sentence is devoted to funds: "In these days of large endowments to colleges, no institution can do successful work without financial help by way of endowments, etc." Another section of the catalogue, concerning the miscellaneous needs, included statements about books, museum specimens, laboratory apparatus, and even sympathy and patronage.

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#### 80 to 66 Victory Over Susquehanna; Varsity Basketball Slow On Wins

Alas and alack! The college courtsters seem to be in the proverbial rut! However, fans and players alike feel that the team will snap out of it and find themselves in time to salvage a respectable season record.



Ed. Brunner Winner EE Award as Athlete of '49

After dropping three games in a row, the Jays got back in the win column with an 80-66 decision over the Susquehanna university quintet at Selinsgrove. It was the second victory of the season against seven losses. Bill Foster, as in previous games, again led the attack, and contributed 27 markers to the cause. Charlie Zlock duplicated this feat for the losers.

Believe it or not! Here's a team that can score 77 points in 40 minutes and lose a game. Seems unlikely, yet that's exactly what happened to the Jays as they fell before the onrushing forces of Lebanon Valley in the spacious Lebanon High gymnasium.

It was like a Dutchman eating snitz and knepp as they hopped off to a lead that was never relin-

was not enough, as Kinsella, Becker their representative. and Langstaff clicked to rack up 56 of the victor's 84 points.

The visit to Towson the same week was just as disastrous as E-town topped the Golden Knights from the field only to have the foul tosses pile up against them and give the Maryland State teachers a 60-

Previous to the holidays, a lightning-fast Moravian Greyhound team dropped the E-towners to the tune of 94 to 70, for the biggest margin in any game played to date.

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#### Girls' Basketball Team Stacks Wins; Monn Leads

The Bluebirds had everything on Millersville except height as they ran over, under and around the visiting State teachers to rack up a 49 to 19 triumph.

The starting sextet looked terrific as they grabbed an early lead and won the game going away.

The starting forward combination of Kreider, Monn and Warner set up plays and hit the cords from all angles, as the M-ville forwards proved ineffective against guards Kopp, Anderson and Mathias. Monn again topped the scorers with 30 points.

The Bluebird jayvees also won their game with the Millersville reserves by a 43 to 21 score. They, too, had control of the game from the outset. Jean Bagenstose was top marker-maker in the game with

The Bluebirds did their highest scoring in 13 games over a two year span when they traveled to York on Jan. 7, and trimmed York Junior college by a 64 to 27 score. The girls were in command all the way and left the floor at half time with a 27 point advantage.

They operated almost entirely from a pivot in the first half, with Monn handing off to Warner and Kreider, who tallied 20 and 15 points respectively. Monn, however, was high scorer of the afternoon as she tossed in 7 field goals and 7 free throws for 21 counters.

#### Freshmen Elect W. Moyer To Student Senate Seat

Walton Moyer, freshman, was elected to serve on the Student Senate for the year 1949-50.

Because of a three way tie, between Clara Wasser, Thomas Kay and Walton Moyer, the freshman Bill Foster's high total of 27 points class held a second meeting to elect hanna, at Selinsgrove, 54-42.

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#### J-V's Under Dodd Pick-up Wins Early

Anyone worried about the 1950-51 Elizabethtown basketball team can relax now, for in their opening encounters of the season, the jay-vees have shown that they will be quite capable of handling the situation.

A scrappy outfit manned almost entirely by underclassmen, the J V's. started the season slowly, developed rapidly under the tutelage of Coach Joe Dodd, and have shown great promise in their recent games.

The boys on the squad include: Carlton Lehman, Stanley Grill, William Helm, Jack Bolton, Tom Kingree, Charles Roth, Nelson Kline, Ken Reighard and Frederick Ranck. All but Helm and Kingree are fresh-

In their opening game, the juniorvarsity, after holding the lead for the best part of three quarters, was overtaken and defeated by Millersville S.T.C. quintet, 59-53. DiAmico, with 21 points was the high scorer for the winners while Bolton had 14 and Helm contributed 12 to the loser's total.

After ironing out the fault of the opening game, the Blue Jays' understudies gained their first win of the season in their next encounter. Juniata was defeated 53-45.

Carlton Lehman led the scoring parade for the Blue and Gray by canning 18 points for the evening. Bolton was next in the point parade with 12; Walker with 11, paced the

In their third encounter, the Blue and Gray understudies met with a defeat at the hands of a classy Lebanon Valley J. V. outfit by a 55-37

Oxley, a rangy center, paced the Dutchmen to their victory by canning 20 points. Bolton again scored in double figures and led the Bluejay attack with an even dozen counters.

In the most recent contest to date, the Dodd-coached five evened their seasonal record with a stirring victory over a rugged outfit, Susque-

Trailing by a 23-21 score at half-

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#### Day Students Winning In Intramural Games

As competition was resumed in the intramural circuit following the holiday lay off, the fast breaking North hall raiders trounced South hall with an impressive 40-26 deci-

The day students' number one team, which hasn't a loss to mar its record, also trounced its opponent, the day student number two team by a convincing 53-31 win. These two winners shape up as the teams to beat as the field narrows.

Hot on the heels of these quintets is Memorial hall which lost only to the day students' number two team, 32-21, before the holidays. This team has only one loss and that was to the successful day student number one team. At the bottom of the league rests South hall which has yet to win two games.

Mr. Joe Dodd, head of the intramural program, has noted that "thus far the games played have been well attended by the student body and the competition is at an all time

time, Etown rallied strongly and won handily in the last quarter.

Displaying a better balanced attack and more accurate passing than any game so far, Etown was led to victory by Carlton Lehman, who contributed 14 points, and by Jack Bolton, who again bucketed 13

#### INVESTMENTS MADE

(Continued from Page One) being promoted and here is a practical application of it for the college student. It has often been claimed that the eye retains 50% more than any other sense.

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# Constitution Revision Group Spends Long Hours on Tentative Draft

#### Prof. Hellerich Aids **Appointed Committee**

The constitution revision committee requested by the Student associatoin is working long hours on the tentative draft of the new document to be submitted to the student body within a month.

Appointed to the committee to study the constitution which has been declared "too bulky," are Robert Graham, Hartmut von Hentig, Joyce Foley, Armon Snowden, George Breneman, Harry Shuster, Doris Kopp and Elsie Bomgardner. Prof. Mahlon Hellerich was chosen faculty adviser to the committee.

"We have started at the very core of things," noted the president, "to try to discover what the needs and purposes of our constitution are."

Rewriting of the present constitution was first debated at an allstudent assembly in the auditorium on January 12.

#### Dr. M. R. Zigler Visits Campus Feb. 19 to 25

Dr. M. R. Zigler, prominent leador in the Church of the Brethren and current director of its European activities, will visit Elizabethtown college from February 19 to 25 to speak and confer with students and faculty members interested in European relief work.

In the United States for a sixmonth lecture tour, Doctor Zigler will also visit the Rheems, West Greentree and Elizabethtown Churches of the Brethren to report on the Brethren Service commission's progress in Europe.

Chapel talks highlighting Doctor Zigler's observations and experiences with European civilian and prisoner of war relief work have been included in his schedule, as have group and individual conference periods.

The service commission's executive secretary prior to assuming his present office, Doctor Zigler is greatly interested in inter-denominational cooperation, postwar relief and care of religious objectors.

#### 32 Special Students Join Evening Classes

Thirty-two special students are enrolled in the evening courses for second semester in addition to regular students, Dean Henry G. Bucher announced.

The evening courses and their instructors are: American Literature, Dr. R. W. Schlosser; Appreciation of Art, Prof. Harry Book; Child Psychology, Dr. Henry G. Bucher; Elementary Education Workshop, Prof. Elmer Hoover; History of Pennsylvania, Prof. Mahlon Hellerich; Physical Science, Prof. John Campbell; Quantitative Analysis, Dr. O. F. Stambaugh; Tax Accounting, Prof. F. S. Kugle; and Trigonometry, Prof. Carl H. Heilman.

#### Male Chorus Offers New Albright Composition

A new composition for the Lord's Prayer by Prof. David Albright will be the first number the male chorus will sing on its season tour.

Professor Albright had been thinking of the new version for a period of time and while taking music courses at Northwestern university this summer he wrote it. "The beautiful campus and my concern for music which the male chorus could sing inspired me," explained the music director.

The first and last parts of the program which the group will offer include songs of praise to God and Christ: God is a Spirit, Jehovah Reigns, Beethoven's The Heaven's Resounding, Beautiful Savior and Bless the Lord, O! My Soul.

Christ's birth and resurrection are emphasized in the second portion (Continued on Page 3)

#### **Etonian Hits Stride**; Yearbook on Schedule

The 1950 yearbook is advancing according to schedule, Warren Kissinger, editor, reports. All the individual pictures for the Etonian are finished and are at the engravers. The sports section is complete but for a few additional action shots.

Featured in the yearbook for 1950 will be the 50th anniversary division which will shortly be com-

The Etonian's literary work is well advanced leaving the bulk of the unfinished work for the photographer who has a number of group pictures yet to take.

#### Dr. Baugr Attends MeetingsInstitutes

On February Dean Eby Espenshade and Dr. . Baugher will attend an All-hyslvania Alumni meeting at thrayflower hotel in WashingtD. C. While there Doctor Baughwill attend a reception for collegresidents.

At the dericksburg Church of the Bretl, Fredericksburg, Pa., on March Dr. Baugher will hold a Bible Inte.

#### Collec Enrolls 354 With New Students

Total elment at Elizabethtown college fhe second semester is 354. Thisure includes 123 vet-

Fourteew students have registered sipublication of the January Etom. Of this number, 11 are commg students.

Sara NBretz, '49, Elizabethtown, witudy elementary edu-

Mrs. En Frantz of Lebanon, wife of J. gan Frantz, is a senior. She form attended Elizabethtown coll Mr. Frantz is also a student h

Anothenior and former student is Js Roberts of Mt. Joy.

He will gate in May.
Andre Led Lion, Pa., is a native of s, France, and has attended thniversity of Paris. He enrolls aspecial student.

Transfeudents include: Doris Fox of Measant; Joan Hanlon, Bette Pa and A. Joy Risser from Elizhtown; Dorothy Shaffer, Harrg; and Joseph Zavarich, Larer

The neel smen are: William Bausman,dl town; Charles Koppenhaver, our, Pa.; Thomas Ruoss, Stras; and Edward Sarkis-

# Sock and Buskin Club to Present Series of Monologues in Gym, Feb. 22

#### Phases of Modern Life in New York City Will Be Portrayed in Six Scenes

The Sock and Buskin club will present on Wednesday, February 22 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium-gymnasium "New York Streets," a series of six monologues on modern life in New York City, Mrs. Jean Herr, president of the group, has announced.



Members of the cast of New York Streets, Gil Young, Louise Bartenslanger, Celia Ann Miller, Pauline Nissley and Ben Ebersole, are discussing an original stage setting by C. Frederick Horbach.

#### Guild to Sponsor Movies on Campus

Alfred Hitchcock's "Foreign Correspondent" and "Jamaica Inn" are among the movies to be shown on campus during this semester by the Library Guild, Miss Alice Sylvester, librarian, has announced.

Also to be viewed are "Little Lord Fauntleroy" with Freddie Bartholomew; Louisa May Alcott's "Little Men"; "One Million B. C."; a "caval-Victor Mature; Janet Gaynor in "A Star is Born"; "Swiss Family Robinson" with Thomas Mitchell and "Tom Brown's School Days" with Jimmy Lyon.

The admission charge will be fif-

# **Group Prepares Show** For Crispus Attucks

A variety show at the Crispus Attucks center (a social-welfare group) of Lancaster will be presented on February 23 at 8 p. m. in the recreation hall of the center.

Under the sponsorship of Carlos Ziegler, the show to be produced and directed by Jack Fichter will consist of eleven acts including a chalk talk by C. Frederick Horbach, a "Dr. I.Q." quiz, imitations, instrumental and vocal music.

Donald Ream will serve as master of ceremonies. Also included in the group who will entertain are: Elsie Students included in the project Snowden, Ebersole and Carl Bomgardner, Lucille Heisey, Julius Belser, Carl Frederick, Harold Geib, Joe Prokopchak, Ellis Shenk, John saying or matter, "it will cut Thompson, Alan and Daniel Whitacre and Levi Ziegler.

"A Naive Thing Lives in Brand" will be characterized by Louise Bartenslanger; "Precinct House on West 51st Street" will be performed by Ben Ebersole and "Shopping for Jewelry on Fifth Avenue" stars Pauline Nissley. Gilbert Young's dancing class sequence will take place in Brooklyn and "Devil's Food" with Jean Herr is set on Park avenue. "Waiting at the Ferry" with Celia Ann Miller is located at South Ferry.

"The monologue is receiving new attention," Mrs. Herr noted, "for in no other form of theatre art can an actor so control the stage by creatcade of life in the stone age," with ing mood, drawing and using imaginary scenery and 'peopling' the stage. It is limited only to the imagination of both actors and audience."

The popularity of the monologue has been measured recently by the successful national tours of two famous monologuists, Ruth Draper and Cornelia Otis Skinner.

#### District Choir to Sing Sacred Music Mar. 11

An evening of sacred music will be presented on March 11 at 8 p. m. in the auditorium-gymnasium by a 300-voice choir selected from church choirs of the Eastern district of the Church of the Brethren, Prof. E. G. Meyer has announced.

Prof. Nelson Huffman, director of music at Bridgewater college, wil direct the choir in a program f eleven anthems. These will inclue such selections as "God So Loed the World" (Stainer); "Bear ful Saviour" (Christiansen); "Sartus" (Gounod); and "All in the April Evening" (Roberton).

Professor Meyer is chairnan the Music and Worship commiss of the Church of the Brethen wh is sponsoring this music festival.

#### Chickens Fight Students Battle; Resist Inoculations Agait Colds

By David Snavely

"Watson, the needle!" Alan Whitacre screamed to Carlos Ziegler as he held "an innocent scratcher" ready. If you'll pardon the pun, one might say this all suggests "fowl play."

But since the chickens are receiving a serum to prevent that common misery—the cold—it would hardly be called a crime.

According to Earl Ziegler, "pullet practitioner," two men hold the chicken while a third puts the drops in the bird's nose-providing there is proper cooperation of both parties.

Following the treatment, Donald Ream vouches that he heard one old hen cluck to another: "First incubators, now college students-what

Clucked her ruffled crony: "I hear they are getting a dollar an hour for this, and all we get is chicken feed."

of inoculating chickens on six neigh- Frederick boring farms were: Levi Ziegler, Harold Ebersole, Gene Swords, Harvey Brandt, Jesse Brown, Armon Kleenex ises!"



n Whitacre Afterbattle-scratches.

"At leane hen was quoted as

#### Debate: Compulsory Chapel

#### PRO—Warren Kissinger

Compulsory chapel as it exists at Elizabethtown college and as it has historically been identified with American colleges can be justified from at least two

First, we can justify the institution of compulsory chapel by placing it in the same category with all the other disciplines. Since attendance in history, biology, psychology and even Bible classes is compulsory, is it unreasonable to make chapel attendance compulsory?

This position would very closely associate classes in religion with chapel attendance because both are primarily interested in the same end-religious education. As chemistry and biology classes have their laboratory periods, where theory is practiced, so our classes in religion should have their "laboratory" in the chapel service. In chapel we could observe and attempt to appreciate the aspirations and motivations which to a large degree have been responsible for our Christian religion.

This point of view is open to serious criticism because it supposes that since chapel is in the same position with the other disciplines, it too can be studied academically and objectively. Put in a worship a we are exercising emotion, faith, hopes, yearnings

There is a second basis for the case for the compulsory chapel, and I think the better of the two. Elizabethtown college has been founded and is operated and supported by a religious group—the Church of the Brethren. This church, together with others, has ascribed to certain ideals which have had a profound influence upon our society. Therefore it is the responsibility of this group together with the others to perpetuate these ideals.

#### CON—Hartmut von Hentig

which are beyond the realm of ....

The college bulletin says: "The purpose of the chapel assembly is to provide an opportunity for devotion and meditation." Our present system does not fulfill any of the significant implications of this statement. "Opportunity" is replaced by "necessity" and "devotion and meditation" are substituted by instruction on religious or ethical problems.

That we are asked to worship at times which we have not chosen, in dispositions which may be contrary to that of devotion, and in forms of which we may disapprove is not sound and helpful. At the best we will respond with indifference; many will turn away.

Chapel must be compulsory - it is said - for the same reasons for which class attendance is compulsory: because the students are considered immature.

There are seven things to be said about this: (1) Our worship of God is more than a class.

(2) The device as such is uneducational, even when applied to classes, since no man has ever been educated against his will.

(3) The present system makes only for more immaturity, dependence, superficiality; it is authoritarian.

(4) It is a waste of many impulses which would operate under a voluntary system: initiative, missionary zeal, spontaneousness.

(5) It is a truism that we put more into things which we do voluntarily.

(6) Voluntary chapel would be an incentive to the people who are responsible for its program to do even better than they do already.

(7) It would develop the student's ability to use his freedom which is both the central and most difficult task of our lives.

We do not deny the school the right to propagate its principles. The school should, however, have more faith in the students. The distrust expressed in the present system is a sign of weakness on the part of the school and the Christian cause which it represents. I am sure it does not want to be guilty of either.



The Bicycle Thief

Americans aren't used to in their films.

On West 49th street in New York citts the World Theatre. It has housed such memorable Italian films as On City, for two years, Paisan for one year, To Live in Peace, for five noths and it is now tenanting a film that is destined to break all records: "ISica's The Bicycle Thief.

What's the drawing power behind th film? Who is in it? What publicity stunt are they using?

The drawing power is human sufferin In it are people taken from the streets of Rome, who have never beforappeared in anything else but a drug-store snapshot of the family on a Siday afternoon. The publicity stunt: the finest reviews any film has evereceived, in this country and the world over.

You'll probably never see The Bicyle Thief, because foreign films only have a market in New York-but naybe you wouldn't want to see it—for it picks you up from your seat, slas you down, picks you up again and then leaves you limp with emotions It has a sad ending, something

A man gets a job putting up posters (of Rita Hayworth) in Rome, for which he needs his bicycle. The first day on the job the treasured vehicle is stolen. Through the streets of a city verflowing with bicycles the man with his son by his side attempts to find he thief. Failing completely and in desperation, he tries to steal a bicycl, but is caught by an angry mob and publicly beaten before his son . . . but he was beaten long before when he had reported the incident to the police and was told to look for the stolen bike himself unless he coul name witnesses to the crime. "But no one watched," the man pleade, "and no one cared."

Within those lines De Sica shows he pitiful existence of man in a

complex cold world. No one cared, no ne worried.

Can't you just see a Hollywood vision of the same film? Tyrone Power would play the man looking for is Cadillac, and Roddy McDowell his son, and it would all take place in Hillywood. DeMille would produce it, and skyrockets would be shot every our on the hour over the theatre a recent meeting formally changed its name to the where the picture would be showing.

It may be just a coincidence, but th Prince of Foxes, an extravaganza pageant produced in Italy with "frozen unds" by Twentieth Century Fox, which received mediocre reviews, opend the same day in New York as The Bicycle Thief.

#### With Our Eds and Coeds

Frederick Ranck won a copy of a Handbook of Chemistry and Physics which is awarded by the Chemical Rubber Company of Cleveland, Ohio for the outstanding first-semester freshman student in chemistry. Dr. O. F. Stambaugh made the presen-

Carlos Ziegler was licensed to preach at a council meeting of the Church of the Brethren held in January in Lititz. He will continue his studies here for ministerial work.

Marie Schroyer and Christine Hewett spent the week-end between semesters with Gwendolyn Roddy at her home in Wynnewood, Pennsylvania. Attending a concert of the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra with Eugene Ormandy conducting was one of the highlights of their visit.

The girls of Alpha hall and Fairview recently elected Ardyce Trout and Janice Anderson as their respective house presidents. Last semester, Gladys Stehman and Janice held these offices.

During the School of Missions held recently at the Washington Street Church of the Brethren in Elizabethtown, Bill Longenecker taught the young people's class on the subject of "Japan." Bill is pastor of the Church of the Brethren in Falmouth.

Barbara Bowman, Vivian Snyder, and Gene Swords were among those who saw the operetta, "The Merry Widow," at the Hershey Community Theater on January 31.

Gil Shirk, a freshman here who graduated from Elizabethtown high school, recently signed a contract with the Brooklyn Dodgers baseball club. He will report to the Dodgers' training camp at Vero Beach, Florida, on April 1.

Mervin Hess was the speaker for the Youth Day services of the Paradise Presbyterian church on January 29.

"Much study is a weariness of the flesh," observed Solomon. And after grueling semester finals that revealed a decline of student eagerness and pep and caused a critical shortage of midnight oil on campus, most students here agree. Yet, with the new semester in full sway, they forgot their recent ordeal by attending the circus party at Fairview and the Valentine party, seeing the movie "Moonlight Sonata," visiting the State hospital, and building snowmen on our front lawn.

#### Did You Know That . . .

. . . following in the footsteps of General Eisenhower, every boy has the chance to grow up and become president if he doesn't want to.

. . . Gretchen Sherman was mistaken for a teacher by Prof. Campbell because she sits near the faculty during chapel. Said he, "What subject does that dark-haired girl teach?"

. . . during the first semester student deputation teams conducted services at 34 churches in the eastern, southeastern and southern district of the Church of the Brethren. Twelve student ministers

. . . if all the people in chapel were laid end to end they would be more comfortable.

. . . the reason some people's dreams never come true is that they never wake up.

. . . the Student Library committee, which has been sponsoring many activities on campus, at

. . . Jesse Brown, Armon Snowden and Ben Ebersole can be counted among the privileged few who managed to get standing room tickets to Death of a Salesman.

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They ask us to do so much work which they have to correct and requires college standards.

They show no school spirit bu have contributed generously to the new gym.

They destroy individualism by denanding we conform to rules and regulations set up by the administration.

They harp on our weak points by taking notice and trying to help us correct them.

They're deceitful and will reject our work just because it's copied from a book or a friend.

They're hypocritically saying they vill pass us if we do the work and don't if we don't.

They're narrow and teach us not to accept generalities blindly.

They're unapproachable, and wouldn't let us interrupt without silly formalities when they are speaking to soneone else.

On these grounds, down with our faulty!

### Adopt Orphans Only

It has been reported that our library has lately been missing several volumes. The Masterplots, a two volume edition, and a new novel The Mudlark are among the latest victims.

No library can ever say "we have never known a case of thievery." However, stealing from a college library is a different, frightening matter.

People who use our library are men and women, with a caliber that is supposed to exceed the average person in morals, ethics and intelligence; a caliber that is fitting for someone doing college work.

We can conclude, however, from the fact that books are missing from the library, that among us there is a person or persons who wrongly have been placed in our group.

With the limited funds that our college library does have, it is impossible for it to afford replacements. If you cannot appreciate the books on the shelves or on display, which are for everyone's benefit, then leave them alone.

Remember, our college library books are not orphans, so don't adopt them.

#### Fairy Tales and Scrubbed Faces Will **Be Featured in Library Story Hours**

By Celia Ann Miller

Remember those pleasant Saturday mornings you used to spend as a child at the neighborhood library listening to stories? Those pleasant mornings are being reenacted on campus.

"And now children I shall tell you the story of Plandy Plumbody," a familiar voice sounded from the chapel. Or was it Plandy Plumboy?

College Music Festival

To Use Hess, Swords

Mervin Hess and Gene Swords

will sing in the Inter-Collegiate

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15-17 at Lebanon Valley College,

A festival concert scheduled at

the Forum in Harrisburg on Feb. 17

will climax the event. Attendance

at the Forum concert is by invita-

tion only. One hundred forty

students from 22 colleges and uni-

Included in the program are a

number of songs featured by Fred

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Deep River, Rock of Ages and On-

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Members of the chorus are: Ten-

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ton Moyer and Jack Fichter. Basses,

John Madiera, William Ellsworth,

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The voice was interrupted only by the oh's and ah's from the children. In the middle of the circle of cleanly scrubbed faces were five students of the Children's Literature class. The children range in age from about six to twelve years and are from the families of the faculty and town.

"The story-telling hour," Miss Alice Sylvester, teacher of the course, commented, "is actually a laboratory period, giving students an opportunity to work with children and observe their reactions to the stories told."

No longer will the students who carry children's story books and records around be a mystery on campus.

Members of the class in Children's Literature who will be holding forth at the story-hours are: Louise Bartenslager, Sally Bretz, Mrs. Carol Meckley, Mrs. Jean Herr, Paul Sensenig, Gene Swords, Richard Goss, Joe Prokopchak, LaRue Monn, Arthur Bowser, Donnadale Smucker, man tune, Were You There and In Richard Brubaker and Barbara

#### Dean's List Honors 21 First Semester

At the first semester's end 21 students merited placement on the Gene Swords, Armon Snowden, dean's list of honor, Dean H. G. Bucher has announced.

The 13 seniors who have earned honors are: Mark Bartman, Edgar Hivner. Bitting, Arthur Bowser, William Davis, Harold Ebersole, Ira Floyd, Robert Graham, John Lichty, Joan Martin, LaRue Monn, Ray Snyder, Hartmut von Hentig and James

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#### Clubs Hear Speakers; German Dinner Served

The natural preparation of sex hormones was the subject of Harold Saylor, a graduate of Elizabethtown college in 1939, who spoke at a meeting of the science club.

Jesse Sheetz, president of the club, also announced that Dr. Ralph Parrett, Elizabethtown, will speak at the March meeting.

The German club enjoyed Kartoffel Puffe or potato pancakes made by Hartmut von Hentig, recently, according to Kenneth Trinkle president.

The president of the French club, Paul Raffensperger, reports that Mr. Leon Myer, Elizabethtown, spoke to the group on the government of

been changed to the second Thursday of each month at 7 p. m., Jimmy Whitacre, president, has announced.

Peggy Eberly, x-'51, recently gave a report of her experiences in the Brethren Volunteer Service at the Washington Street Church of the Brethren in Elizabethtown.

Mary B. Long, sixteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Long, recently died suddenly as a result of a brain hemorrhage. Mrs. Long is the former Margaret Mc-Sparren, x-'25.

Barbara Kreider, x-'51, is president of the youth fellowship of the Bethany Evangelical United Brethren Church in Lancaster.

Wilbur Lisky, x-'23, who has spent the past few years in California, visited relatives and friends in this vicinity during January. He has recently become a grandfather.

Frank Keath, '49, is teaching the fifth and sixth grades at the Donaghmore schools, Lebanon, as a substitute for Samuel Meyer, '49, who is principal there and is recovering from an appendectomy.

Richard Gaus, '49, is teaching commercial subjects at the Warwick Township high school in Rothsville.

N. J. Fuhrman, '29, is his principal. The Philadelphia Alumni Association will meet March 31 in Philadelphia.

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"Being a radio ham is my favorite pastime," Gil noted. "There's something fascinating about traveling around the world on a beam. You know

#### Auction Successful; History Books Popular

Why were history books on a high school level so much in demand at the book auction held recently in the auditorium-gymnasium? Could this mean students need simplified texts as supplementaries?

Professional auctioneer, Dupes, Elizabethtown, who volunteered his services, did an excellent The meetings of the FTA have job of netting \$32.85 from book sales. A pre-auction sale of two sets of encyclopedia, the Encyclopedia Britannica and World Book, brought

> Two of the highest prices were paid for a Webster table model dictionary bought by Alan Whitacre and a history of the secret service agencies, purchased by Anna Mudrinich after much competition.

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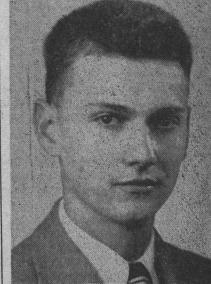
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how much people like to talk on the telephone just to their neighbors; well it's the same with me, only I try to talk with people in Spain or England, and if I can manage it, the Orient."

Gil received his amateur radio license when a senior at Souderton high school, Souderton, Pa., in 1948. His station number was given to him as W3NWN and has a power output of 500 WsHs. Gil has contacted many other "hams" from more than 37 foreign countries. He also has contacted other amateur radio-operators from each of the forty-eight states. The farthest point he has ever reached is South Africa. "Oddly enough," Gil commented, "language and not static was the barrier to good reception."

On campus, or when not hovering over his radio, Gil plays intramural basketball for the North Hall Raiders and takes a great interest in biology, science and girls-"well maybe not in that order," he insisted.

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#### Blue Jays Trip Lycoming and Bridgewater; Lose to Shepherd, Juniata and Dickinson

A big third period rally was enough for a strong Dickinson team, as the Red Devils came from behind Bluejays Find Going to register an 80-72 verdict over the Bluejays. John Brunner hitting from outside marked up 20 points in a game fast and furious throughout. Zilling and Overholt totaled 54

A surprising Bridgewater team provided the opposition in a 59-55 victory that had the lead changing hands 12 times. A 6-point lead at halftime just about did the trick. With 2 minutes to play "Zimm" Schneider sank a tie-breaking field goal and did a brilliant job in the freeze. Jim Meminger was top man second-best.

#### SCHEDULE CHANGE

The game scheduled for Feb. 16 with Albright on the E-town floor has been canceled. In its place will be a home game on that date with Mount St. Mary's. Both varsity and jay-vee teams will play. Mount St. Mary's is located at Emmitsburg, Mary-

The Bluejays finally got back in the win column with a triumph over a fast-moving Lycoming college quintet by a 62-47 score. It was a nip-and-tuck affair with the lead changing hands a number of times throughout the contest. The game was in doubt until a big fourth period rally when the visitors were outscored by a 17 to 4 count. Ed Brunner sparked the attack with 7 of his pace-setting 19 points.

At Juniata the story had the opposite ending as a bad third quarter proved to be the downfall of the Herrmen. The game was well played and treated the packed house to some terrific basketball. A rally was not enough to pull the game out of the fire and the Jays fell by a 62-57 final tally. Holmes Ulsh, big gun for the victors, racked up 24 points, while John Brunner led our side with 17 markers.

Sam Berry again proved to be the thorn in E-town's side as he poured in 10 field goals and 9 consecutive foul tries to lead the Shepherd (W. Va.) State Teachers to an overwhelming 79-57 win. What is possibly a new "record" was set as the entire E-town starting team was fouled out of the game. Don Haverstick his his stride in the second half to mark up 19 points for the Blue and Gray.

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# Tough in Three Losses

Did you ever see a team that is potentially terrific, yet has such a tough time winning ball games? The Bluejays have been unable to salvage a win in the past month, altheir best (and worst) basketball of the season.

The return to action of injured Eddie Brunner strengthened the team floor game a great deal, alwith 17 counters, Foster's 13 being though he still is not in tip-top

proved to be double trouble in dealing the E-towners two setbacks by 71-57 and 64-56 scores. Lincoln is one of the top small college teams in the East, and the good ball played by the Blue and Gray proved futile. Brown was the big gun for the Oxford boys with a 33-point total for both games. Bill Foster was E-town leader with 23 markers in the two games, while Ed Brunner came up with a well-played 20-point game in the second of the two contests.

The jinx held good as E-town jumped off to a big first-quarter lead, then slowed down to be overtaken by Shepherd in the last minute and drop a 53-52 decision on the home floor. Sam Berry was key man as he bucketed 23 counters and the team cooperated by hitting on 21 of 29 free throws. E-town could hit only 8 of 17 foul tosses as Jim Meminger showed the way with 16 tallies.

Height, speed, and a few hot hands paid off for Millersville teachers as they out-swished the Jays for an 82-63 verdict. Pacing the teacher combo were Jim Todd and Ken DePoe with 22 and 20 points respectively. E-town's scoring, as usual, was well spread, with Meminger's 14 showing the way.

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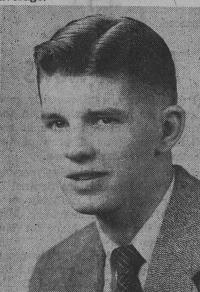
#### **SPORT-SPOT** on **Bill Foster**

by Jack Kline

Elizabethtown college is "Fostering" hopes of continued successes in basketball.

Bill Foster, who as of February 5 was leading all eastern Pennsylvania college scorers with 205 points, is one of the veterans on whom these

A sophomore, Bill is now playing though they have played some of his second year of varsity ball under Coach Herr. In his freshman year, he contributed 222 points to the 1,583-point total compiled by last year's highly successful quintet. This year he seems certain of bettering this mark, as he has ten games remaining to be played and in his efforts so far he has recorded A classy Lincoln university team 205 points in 13 games for a 15.7



Bill Foster

Hailing from Norwood, Pa., Bill attended Glen-Nor High School where he played two years of bas-

"Big Bill" packs his 170 pounds on a six-foot two-inch frame and has established himself as an able forward. He is an excellent ball handler and an adept floor man and is a good shot from anywhere on the floor.

One of Bill's greatest assets is his uncanny manner of faking. If you've ever seen Bill "hang a man up" or "fake him out" you know what we

Bill's roommate "Zim" Schneider states that the only thing Bill can't do on or off the court is make a bed properly.

If Bill shows as much consistent improvement in bed-making as he does in shooting goals, he'll soon be making beds and goals with the best

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#### J. V. Total Stands at 6 Wins, 5 Losses; Score 64 - 60 in Stevens Trade Thriller

On Saturday, February 4 the Blue | games prior to the Juniata affair. and Gray understudies traveled to Huntingdon and defeated the Juni-

This win over the J. V. Indians was the J. V.'s fifth of the season.

with individual scoring honors by canning 18 points and Lehman was second with 11.

Paced by forwards Jack Bolton and "Lefty" Lehman the Bluejay quintet captured two of their five

#### **Bluebirds Win Five** In Unbeaten Streak

The Bluebirds made it 5 in a row with wins over Millersville and Lebanon Valley by 49-31 and 60-42

At Millersville, as is usually the case, the girls got off to a slow start and trailed at halftime by 4 points. They gathered momentum in the second half and Monn's 21-point half and 25 for the game paved the way to victory. The jay-vees lost their game 26 to 25 as Jean Bagenstose picked up 10 tallies.

A big second half also paid off at Lebanon Valley as E-town racked up 22 to 3 in the last quarter to win going away. In this game Monn had 26, Warner 18, and Kreider 16 points. The juniors also took their game 48-43. Bagenstose again paced the attack with 24 points.

Lincoln university's rangy five proved to be the most annoying opata Indians by a convincing 59-53 ponent to date, taking the measure of the Etown dribblers twice. The close score of 54-51 was posted on the Blue and Gray's home floor and Once again Bolton walked away a 54-49 count in Lincoln's own back-

> Victories over Stevens Trade School on a foreign court 48-43, and over Lebanon Business College 65-33 followed.

> Millersville S.T.C. hung the next defeat on the J.V. record with a 70-46 drubbing on January 28.

The seasonal record of the J.V. five now stands at an impressive 6 win-5 loss total.

Tuesday they posted a win over Stevens Trade School in a spinetingling thriller 64-60.

Trailing by a 41-31 score at halftime, the Blue and Gray warriors of Coach Dodd rallied superbly in the third quarter, to take the lead 48-46 and then protected it gamely (fistic warfare included).

"Big Ike" Royer was the high scorer with 18 points and Tom Kingree dropped in the clinching bucket. Baur scored 16.

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# Maxine Bowman to be Crowned Queen At May Day Festivities on May 13

#### **Eight Attendants Included in Court**

Maxine Bowman has been elected May Queen to be crowned at the May Day festivities on campus, Saturday, May 13, at 1:30 p.m.

Elected as Maid of Honor is Joan Martin. Together with two representatives from each class, she will complete the queen's court. Other attendants include Romaine McNally, Ardyce Trout, seniors, Margaret Bose, Nancy Mathias, juniors, Doris Kopp, Norma Landis, sophomores and Betty Ann Hammers, Patricia Boggs, freshmen.

Featured in the May Day program will be the traditional crowning of the queen, which will take place in the dell on west campus. Other events planned will be a baseball game with Lincoln Univer- Women's Student Council sity, an art exhibit and a musicale in the auditorium-gymnasium in the

man, Louise Bartenslager, Gladys Stehman, C. Frederick Horbach, and Jesse Sheetz.

Miss Vera Hackman, chairman, Miss is Kopp, Helen Kreider, Joyce Foley bright, Gettysburg and Dickinson. Alice Sylvester, Prof. David Albright and Prof. Galen Herr, is also cooperating on the project.

#### Four Delegates Represent Ecuador at Model UN

Four delegates will represent Elizabethtown college at the model hall living room will climax the United Nations assembly to be held day. at City College, New York April 10-12.

The delegation composed of Patricia Boggs, Benjamin Ebersole, Hartmut von Hentig and Armon men to associate with each other." Hartmut von Hentig. Snowden will represent Ecuador at the conference.

President Truman's point four pro-

#### **Students Given Chance** To Express Opinions

The Student senate in a recent meeting voted to study the probbe the issuing of a questionnaire to each student for the expression of his opinion about the present prob-

The results of student opinion and suggestions will be compiled and presented to the administration.

According to Mervin Hess, president of the senate, the committee to plan the proposed questionnaire is composed of Edgar Bitting, chairman; Barbara Nelson, Clyde Weaver, Harold Ebersole, and Gwendolyn Whitacre as the waiter.

"We feel that through this process we will get the actual feelings of mittees responsible for production: students concerning the problem, business and auditorium - Galen what they expect of the faculty," the president commented.



Maxine Bowman

# Arranges Play Day April I

The Women's Student council will lege team. The May Day committee in charge sponsor a play day on April 1. Six includes Charmaine Fickes, chair- colleges will be invited with five debates, the team has more than acgirls and one adviser coming from complished a feat which has never each institution.

A faculty committee including hay includes Janice Anderson, Dor- teries over Tenge, St. Joseph, Aland LaRue Monn.

> time. The visiting group will be game followed by a tea in the Alpha dustries."

#### Freshmen to Present Variety Show Mar. 17

Events of the past seventy years will be portrayed through music and comedy in the freshman variety show March 17. The entertainment will be presented in the college auditorium-gymnasium at 8

The narrator, in the role of an elderly woman who has lived all seventy years, will select memorable incidents from her life. These incidents, depicting several wellknown celebrities as well as certain phases of American life, will be staged by class members.

parts: Childhood Days, The Roman-(Continued on Page 3)

#### **Debating Team Wins** 34 of 38 Decisions

Under the guidance of Prof. Mahlon Hellerich and manager Gerald club has compiled the most outstanding debating record ever to be obtained by an Elizabethtown col-

In winning 34 decisions of their 38 before been achieved here. Includ-The general committee for the ed among their successes are vic-In the near future they travel to The program planned for the day Annapolis where they have high will begin with a registration in the hopes of defeating a tough Navy morning, followed by a social play- foe, and then returning they journey dinner guests of the college at 12:10 are to be held. The topic of dep.m. An afternoon basketball bate is "Nationalization of Basic In-

Members of the team who are to be congratulated are: Negative-According to LaRue Monn, presi- Joyce Foley, George Breneman, dent of the Women's Student coun- Julius Belser, Ge ald Fosbenner and cil "the purpose of this play day is Affirmative-Clyde Weaver, War-

# Faculty - Student Cast to Present Van Dyke's 'The House of Rimmon'

#### Proceeds from All-College Performance To Purchase Furnishings for New Library

Furniture for the new library will be purchased with the proceeds from the presentation of Henry Van Dyke's "The House of Rimmon," by an all-college cast, on April 14 and 15 in the auditorium-gymnasium at 8 p.m., according to Miss Alice Sylvester, librarian.

#### The show is divided into seven Dr. Peter L. Agnew To Address NOMAS

Dr. Peter L. Agnew, noted authority on business education and author of office practice textbooks, will highlight the National Office Management Association's third annual seminar at Elizabethtown college with a luncheon address, K. Fosbenner, the college debating E. Bucher, chairman of the program committee, recently announced.

> The conference, open to the student body, will be held in the auditorium-gymnasium on March 25, and education rie of seven central Peritunateria counties. They will discuszesco partnership and the express truck on March 15. cooperation seessary between schools and offices.

Elizabethtown college will be represented by instructors K.-E. ture. Miss Sylvester hopes that to Pittsburgh where the state finals Bucher, Frank S. Kugle and Mrs. the students will take advantage of Luella Roland and student Edgar this opportunity to contribute by Bitting. Bitting has been selected to participate in a panel discussion "This Partnership of Ours."

The seminar is sponsored annually by the Harrisburg, Lancaster, and York NOMA chapters and Elizabethtown college and is designed to to give opportunity for college wo- ren Kissinger, Howard Wittel, and bring about a better working agreement between offices and schools.

Dr. R. W. Schlosser will direct a cast composed of the following faculty and students: Dr. A. C. Baugher, Joan Martin, Ardyce Trout, Prof. K. Ezra Bucher, LaRue Monn, Dr. C. S. Apgar, Prof. Carl Heilman, Janice Anderson, Gretchen Shortman, Prof. Elmer Hoover, William Helm, Mr. Galen Herr, Karl Kolva, Jesse Sheetz, Mrs. Katherine Herr, Miss Alice Sylvester and Hartmut von Hentig.

In addition to college contributions, the community has offered several services. The printing for the play will be done by the Elizabethtown Chronicle, the Herald 1950 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and Print Shop and the Barnet Printing will be attended by an estimated Co., in Middletown. Mr. Ray 175 representatives of the business Harder, railway express agent in Elizabethtown, will begin advertisement of the play on both panels of

It will take a minimum of \$10,000 to furnish the new library, even with the use of the present furnisupporting this project so that as much new furniture as possible cam be obtained for the library.

#### Dr. Fred B. Corson **Graduation Speaker**

Dr. Fred B. Corson, bishop of the Methodist church of the Philadelphia area and former president of Dickinson college, will deliver the address at the commencement exercises May 29, Pres. A. C. Baugher. announces.

#### Dr. Davis to Speak At Banquet Tonight

Dr. George E. Davis, dean off. Purdue university, Lafayette, Indiana, will speak this evening at the annual Junior-Senior banquet held at the Hershey Community dining

Prof. Robert Eshleman will be master of ceremonies, and music will be supplied by the Mitchellgrand Trio and the college male quartet. Decorations will feature St. Patrick's Day, and those serving: on the committee are: Charmaine Fickes, Pauline Nissley and Lois Wilson.

Other committees who have had part in planning the banquet are: arrangements-Robert Enterline and Robert Trimmer; invitations-Margaret Bose, Mildred Becker and Stanley Hoover; programs - Ben Betsy Denlinger.

#### Major items on the agenda are Sock and Buskin Club Will Present 'Our Lives Are Now' the atomic energy control problem and the United Nations extension of A Play of Modern Life in a Prologue and Two Acts

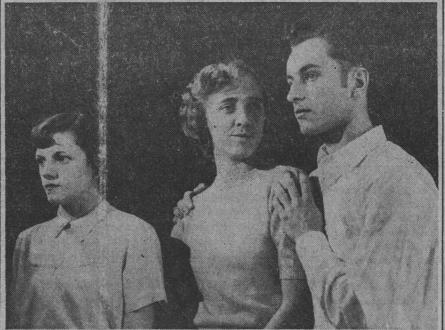
The Sock and Buskin club will stage as its annual production a drama of modern life in a prologue and two acts, "Our Lives Are Now," to be presented on Friday, March 31 and Saturday, April 1 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium-gymnasium.

The theme of the play is youth's search for security and happiness lem of cheating. The first step will in the complexities of a modern world, and is reviewed on the editorial page of this issue.

C. Frederick Horbach will interpret Gino with Nancy Sheaffer as Anna and Pauline Nissley as Mary. Ardyce Trout will portray the mother to Benjamin Ebersole's performance as the domineering father.

Other members of the cast will include Armon snowden as Ed, Gilbert Young as Fred, Louise Bartenslager as Mrs. Sandberg, and Danny

Mrs. Jean Herr, president of the club, announces the following com-Fichter.



Pauline Nissley, Nancy Sheaffer, C. F. Horbach in "Our Lives Are Now" A selfish search for happiness.

what they are willing to do, and Fahnestock, chairman, with Jack will be headed by Janice Anderson will be organized by Christine Hew- Ebersole, Barbara Nelson, Anna with Josephine Bowman, Walton ett assisted by Celia Miller and Bar- Mudrinich, Robert Hammers and Stage and property committee Emig and LaRue Monn. Publicity bara Nelson.

## What Do You Think?

"What aspects of the international situation are of the most concern to you as an American citizen?"

Several senior men students were asked this question in a poll conducted this month by the Etownian. Their opinions on the subject are stated here.

Robert Hess has this to say: "My concern in the international problem lies in that aspect of national personalities which causes a blind allegiance to national lines and places its emphasis upon prosperity of the home economy, national pride, and military dominance.

"The insistence upon a protected home industry leads to tariff walls which clog the channels of commerce and work toward the disadvantage of all nations. Indue national pride causes us to overwork the value of the cultures of other nations, and the doctrine of ailitary supremacy leads to armament races and thus o war."

The following is contributed by Ziegler Heilman: "Since World War II, most of the world's significant events have served to orient and accentuate the basic conflict between the U.S. and Russia. What will the indicated temperature of this conflict be when the boiling point is reached? Probably no one really knows. In regard to the future, do we have a right to place our faith in the feeble efforts of others and ourselves to prevent the holocaust, or shall we let our reason overcome our antipathy and accept the probability of Americans of this very generation being put to a test of survival as severe as that of the earliest American settlers?

"In ethics class we learn that the moral beings and groups have survived in the process of elimination, which has been continuous for the past few thousand years. The crux of the matter is whether or not we are propared to preserve life and pursue happiness in the times that the future can so easily bring. And if worse comes to worse, have we believed, lived, and admitted that God is the only thing that matters?"

Edgar Bitting states: "The recent election in Great Britain, which presented to the world the third decrease in the strength of a Socialist government in the past six months, has been of utmost concern to me. This was not as decided a disapproval as evidenced in Australia and New Zealand, where the Conservatives returned to power; nevertheless, the decrease of the Laborite majority was sufficient to warrant tabbing this a disapproval.

"It causes me to wonder just what effect these disapprovals will have on the influx of Socialism into our government."

Jesse Sheetz submits this thought: "The greatest concern for the U.S. is the vast development of armament by Communistic Russia. Will Russia, for the extension of her absolute doctrine of policy use the nuclear weapons as a means to suppress freedom of mankind or merely mankind? I am of the opinion that although there is no sure safety in military defense alone, there can be sure ruin in any miscalculation or neglect of military defense."

From Jesse Brown comes this statement: "Several months ago President Truman announced that the United States was going ahead in the development of the Hydrogen Bomb. This announcement caused little excitement among the Christians. Is this because they have such faith in the power of God to protect His loyal children or are they convinced that the H-bomb will save us? I think they believe neither nor can they believe either. Our society has accomplished great scientific achievements, but has not developed the necessary moral character to control them. If a genuine spiritual life were to come, what couldn't we do with this world? When I say a spiritual revival, I do not mean emotionalism or a return to orthodoxy, I mean a revival of ethical religion that will put its hands on these amazing modern means and dedicate them to human good."

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# **Our Lives Are Now**

OUR LIVES ARE NOW, which will be produced by the Sock and Buskin club, is the story of youth's search for security and happiness in a complex modern world.



Gino Barcinia knew his responsibilities to his mother who demanded an insatiable love and protection from a domineering husband; and he knew his responsibility to his sister Mary who gave up her life to take care of her mother. But there was something deeper which selfishly made him shrug his duties for a chance at life, a chance that all youth searches for, but few find.

Trapped by the demands imposed upon him, Gino disappears aimlessly wandering in search of security and

happiness. He fails. Returning to his home, he only finds his responsibilities intensified.

Anna is his only source of strength. In her Gino attempts to find himself and a solution but when she demands that he beg his father, who has deserted his mother and Mary, for help, he retaliates by attempting to destroy their love. Anna realizing his purpose, refuses to give him up.

Embittered and lost Gino finally grabs at a last chance, prodded by the selfish desire to relieve his conscience and to be free to continue his search.

## House of Rimmon

For an evening of highly dramatic and unusually interesting entertainment, you must attend the All-College production of Henry Van Dyke's play, "The House of Rimmon." The play is based on the story

of Naaman as told in II Kings, Chapter V, and presents the story of an episode in turbulent Old Testament times in a vividly unforgettable manner. As might be expected of the author of The Other Wise Man,' the play is beautifully written and well worth seeing.

The scene is laid in Damascus of Syria about 850 B.C., when Benhadad, King of Syria, is threatened by the armies of Shalmaneser, King of Assyria. Benhadad is dependent upon the fighting skill of Naaman, a mili-

tary hero, but is counseled to sue for peace by the nooles under Rezon, present of Rimmon, a heathen god, because they hope to gain more red rial benefits by surrendering intended of fighting. Rezon has as his a purplice Tsarpi, the wife of Naaman, but they have opposed to them Ruahmah, a captive maid from the land of Israel, who later enlists the services of the prophet Elisha. The leprosy of Naaman is ascribed to the wiles of Rezon and Tsarpi, and Elisha assumes the task of curing Naaman.

Most of the action takes place in the king's palace and the temple of Rimmon, the impressive settings for which have been designed by Frederick Horbach, a member of the freshman class.

This play shows pointedly the tense and gripping struggle between the forces of good and evil as depicted in the clash between the followers of the God of Israel and those of the pagan god, Rimmon. The characters, as human beings, are beset with human frailties, and yet, in spite of their faults, we find those among them who continually strive for the right.

From John Berger comes this response: "The recent Russian-Chinese Alliance Pact is very disturbing to me. This pact should command the attention of all of us, since it shows a decisive victory for the Kremlin. This pact reveals two sides: the first is the 'outside' where the Chinese Communist leader traded Russia SOME military and political concessions in return for \$300,000,000; the second is the 'inside' or the bulk of the alliance that was undisclosed to the world.

"It is my opinion that this treaty of friendship, alliance, and mutual aid added another link in Russia's power chain. What are we going to do to combat the advance of communism in this so-called Christian world? I hope the answer isn't World War III."

#### With Our Eds and Coeds

Lois Erb and Mary Hess have enrolled in the Mt. Joy Art class which will study the basic principles of oil painting during an eight week period. Luther Lawver and Joe Prokopchak also attended the class recently.

As students visited Bishop's studios to obtain their orders for photographs, they were interested to see pictures of Gerald Burdick, Roy Forney, Betty Hammers, Don Haverstick, and JoAnn Mathias on display there.

Peggy Walzl is a financial secretary with the rank of second lieutenant in the Lancaster Drilling Group. The Group, composed of 24 members, will do complicated marching for parades and other civic functions. Peggy is also the assistant leader for Brownie Troup 45 in Lancaster.

The king and queen of the Valentine party were Frederick Ranck and Joyce Foley. Those participating in the wedding enacted at the party were: Lois Wilson and James Leber, bride and groom; Bernice Gibble, maid of honor; Jesse Sheetz, best man; Louise Hicks, flower girl; Ed Brunner, ring bearer; Paul Raffensperger and Pauline Nissley, parents of the bride; Jack Fichter, rejected lover.

Elwood Raber and Simon Zimmerman were among the winners of the spelling bee sponsored recently by the Ironville Fire Company.

Andre Yon told of his experiences with the underground forces during World War II when he addressed the Elizabethtown Kiwanis Club during their recent observance of "Brotherhood Week." Prof. Galen Kilhefner, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Harold Merkey is the father of a daughter born February 10 at the Lancaster General Hospital.

# Did You Know That . . .

.... Paul Sensenig and James Whitacre have won new poetry honors? James Whitacre's "Waywardness" and Paul Sensenig's "Moon Portrait" will appear in the "Anthology of Verse of American Youth" published by the Twentieth Century Press of Los Angeles.

... an eminent psychologist believes that many college students need a bit of "Whenpecking" to get assignments out on time.

... Julius Belser, Arthur Bowser, Warren Kissinger, Robert Stehman, Clyde Weaver and Gilbert Young heard Dr. Clovis Chappel, noted writer and preacher in the Forum at Harrisburg.

... some people believe everything when it is widespread.

. . . the wind was so severe around the Memorial Hall dormitory even with the heat on that boys on the north side were forced to go to bed to study.

.... many modern paintings are done in the Old McDonald and his farm technique—splashes here and there.

. . . . David Wilson is suffering from severe shock, he has become uncle twice in a month.

.... some people are like refrigerators. They need defrosting occasionally.

... Dr. Ralph W. Schlosser is conducting evangelistic services in the Salunga Church of the Brethren.

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. . . . Earl Ziegler has been substitute teacher in a local country school recently.

# **Our Coaching Staff**

The success of school sports is mainly dependent on the men behind the scenes. These men, the coaches, are forgotten about in a winning season; in fifty years.

Let's really meet the men behind the coaching scene here at E. C. Coach Ira Herr, head of the college physical education department and head coach of basketball and baseball is the man who has guided the destinies of E-town's athletic teams since the beginning of inter-collegiate sports here in 1928. Prior to launching his college coaching career, Coach Herr coached

at Penn Ardo, Bangor, North Braddock, and Elizabethtown high schools.

Through the years he has established an enviable college record against schools much larger than our own. The 17-7 record registered by last year's quintet is his product achievement to date. Coach Herr also handles girls' sports and is currently enjoying a very successful season.

It was due largely to his efforts that E. C. was recently admitted to the Middle Atlantic States Conference.

Mr. Joseph Dodd is currently serving his first year as head soccer coach and assistant basketball and baseball coach.

Previously he coached at Hamburg, Elizabethville, Wiconisco and Mc-Clure high schools. His greatest successes were registered at McClure where his teams reached the state finals three years in a row in both basketball and soccer. His Jayvee outfit of this year made a 10-9 record.

These men constitute our coaching staff and strategy board.

# Challenge

Elizabethtown College has changed a great deal in fifty years.

In 1900 seven persons constituted the whole faculty headed by the "principal" I. N. H. Beahm. Alpha Hall was the only building on the campus then.

The school year had four terms—a fall term of 16 weeks, a winter term of 13 weeks, a spring term of 12 weeks and a special Bible term of four weeks.

Students chose courses from the Literary, Academic, Teacher Training and the Bible departments. Commercial subjects were not even specified but were to be given if the "demand was great enough."

In these physical conditions we have changed, but down through the years the original purpose of the school has remained constant—the training of Christian leaders to go out and spread the Gospel.

The coming of the atomic age has not cast our ideal aside, but has provided an even greater Challenge. Today, Christian leadership from Elizabethtown college is needed more than ever before.

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## Andre Yon of Paris Compares American 'Bull Sessions' with Cafe Meetings

Life on the Left Bank of the Seine river in Paris, which is comparable with New York's Greenwich Village, is artistic, progressive and an intellectual center, Andre Yon, French student attending Elizabethtown college, noted.

Andre, who is a native of Paris, began a new life in America in Sep-

tember of 1949 when he was brought to this country by George R. Miller former Air Force gunner of Sunnyburn, Pa., whom he met during the war.

Meeting at the sidewalk cafes after attending classes at the Paris university, where Andre received his bachelor's degree, students would discuss the latest books and paintings of the famous artists who lived in the quarter. It was here that the French student and several young writers published a pamphlet "Companions of Art" which consisted of formerly unpublished works of prose and poetry.

Perhaps, Andre noted, the "bull sessions" here may be compared with our cafe group discussions but "... we are not as conversational as Americans."

Majoring in literature, Andre plans to teach French literature on the college level after completing his work here.

#### VARIETY SHOW

(Continued from Page 1)

tic Era, Early 1900's, World War I Era, Naughty '20's, Depression Years and the second World War Era. These periods will cover the years between 1880 and 1950.

The committee in charge of the activity includes the following freshmen: Jack Fichter, chairman; Robert Allison, Julius Belser, Barbara Bowman, Carl Frederick, Lucille Heisey, Arlene Keeney, Geraldine Snyder and Clara Waser.

No admission will be charged for the evening's entertainment. Refreshments will be served after the show.

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#### Seniors Contact College Placement Committee

Seniors are contacting the college placement committee for leads on employment, according to Dean H. G. Bucher, chairman.

Prof. Frank Kugle, a member of the committee, calls attention to the first step, the forms available to se-

Definite arrangements have been made with Pomeroy's, Harrisburg, to have their personnel man interview the 14 interested seniors in the early spring.

The International Business Machine will be represented on campus in the near future, while such companies as Sun Oil, Atlantic Refining and Bethlehem Steel have extended the invitation for personal application and interview at their plants.

Other industries, such as New Holland Machine Co. and Standard Oil Co., have shown a readiness to accept applications of interested students, while contacts with insurance companies and local industries are being continued.

To help accounting students, the testing program of the American Institute of Accountants will be given in the spring, Professor Kugle has announced.

For the prospective school teacher, contacts with supervising principals, county superintendents and public school administrators are being maintained.

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#### Science and Dramatic Clubs Get Members

Thirteen persons have completed their initiation periods and have been accepted as official members of the Sigma Kappa Xi and Sock and Buskin clubs.

The new Sock and Buskin members are: Nancy Schaeffer, Arlene Kettering, Josephine Bowman, John Fichter, Howard Emig, Daniel Whitacre and Frederick Horbach, president Jean Herr announced.

Science club secretary Charles Schaffer reports that Jean Bagenstose, Mariane Beane, Alice Weicksel, S. Richard Heisey, Richard Zerfing and M. W. House have been inducted into Sigma Kappa Xi.

Martha Martin, '24, has had her poem "Mother's Light" accepted by the National Poetry Association of California.

Dean Eby Espenshade, '35, will attend the National Association of Deans and Advisers of Men, March 15-18 at Williamsburg, Va. Dean Espenshade is chairman of group one, workshop two which is studying the Administration of Personnel Programs for institutions with less than 1,000 students.

March 31 marks the meeting of the Lancaster County Chapter of the Alumni Association, and the Harrisburg Chapter will meet April

Harry E. Earhart, father of Harry B. Earhart, '50, died early in February. Harry, Jr. has been attending the University of Pennsylvania.

Luke Ebersole, '40, professor of sociology at the University of Maryland, recently received his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylva-

Mr. and Mrs. John Gates, 139 Fair Ave. N. E., New Philadelphia, Ohio are the parents of a daughter Cynthia Lee born January 13. Mrs. Gates was Doris Jean Thatcher, '49.

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#### **Five Business Education Students Get Practice Tutoring Typing Novices**

By Albert Seldomridge

"Click-a-da-click—click, click" resounded the keys of 21 typewriters as each of five members of the Methods in Business Education class takes his turn at teaching.

This class, which uses a new method developed here by K. Ezra Bucher

14th ICG Conference To be Held April 13-16

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Conference on Government will be held at Harrisburg, April 13 to 16. A model state constitutional con-

vention will highlight the conference for college students of Pennsylvania. Arthur Tucker, Newton Kendig, and Ziegler Heilman are the local committee planning for the conference.

Other students interested in participating are Robert Hess, James Whitacre, Jesse Brown, Harry Shuster, Robert Stehman, Galen Fahnestock, Harold Ebersole, Walton Moyer, Jean Herr and Martin Risser.

World's Champion Typist To Give Demonstration

Mr. George L. Hossfield, world's champion typist, will give a halfhour demonstration in the auditorium-gymnasium at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, March 17.

High school business students from Elizabethtown, Maytown, Mt. Joy, Marietta, Middletown, Highspire and Cornwall have been invited to attend the demonstration which will also be open to all students on campus.

The program has been arranged and is being sponsored by the Methods in Typing class, Mr. K. E. Bucher, instructor.

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Having started on Monday, February 26, and meeting three times a week, the class will extend beyond the specified five week period, if the students express a demand.

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#### Bluejays Close Season with Three Wins; Dickinson Thriller Ends in Overtime

The Bluejays closed out the current season by registering 3 wins in their last six games. In the final encounter, a classy Albright team provided the opposition-and plenty of it! E-town held their own in the initial period, but a drastic second quarter was enough to carry all the way. The final score-85-62, with both teams substituting freely throughout. Eddie "Hot Dog" Anlian led the Lions with 25 markers, and Earl Berger, as you probably know. Hess paced our side with 13 tallies.

The home game with Dickinson just two nights before provided one of the best games of the season. The thriller went into an overtime period, with Jays coming out on top with a 79 to 77 score. The points were distributed with four men on each team hitting the double figures.

In the second meeting with Susquehanna, E-town again had command all the way and 14 Bluejays got in the game-and each had a share in the scoring. 78-42 was the final score.

Lebanon Valley took the measure of E-town 77-67 in a game that was hard-fought all the way. Burawski led the visitors with 26, while the best we could do was 14 each by Jim Meminger and John Brunner.

Leading by only 3 points going into the last period, the Jays got hot against Ursinus and tripped the visitors by an 82-69 score. Bill Foster was top man with a 24 point total.

Albright, edged the E-towners by a 49-46 score in a game that was close from start to finish. Foster and Meminger had 11 and 10, while Janis paced the Mounts with 17 university to the tune of 66-48. Bol-

#### J. V.'s Lose Last Two; 10-9 Seasonal Record

The Jr. Varsity "Bluejays" dropped their final two games of the year, barely finishing on the winning side of the ledger with a seasonal record of 10 wins 9 losses.

In the season finals Albright, refusing to be perfect hosts hung a 75-50 defeat on the Doddmen. Completely outclassed E-town held on doggedly in the first half before falling behind.

Tom Kingree led the Blue and Gray attack with 17 counters and Schipe paced the Lions with 15

In one of the best battles of the season the E-town dribblers lost a spine tingling thriller to a fortunate Dickinson five, 67-64. A one point Blue Jay lead vanished with but thirty seconds of play remaining, when a "freeze" failed to material-

Jack Bolton, with 23 points, "Lefty" Lehman and Tom Kingree tstanding for the losers while Block, with 27, and Stark, with 17, paced the visitors from Carlisle.

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of six games. On Feb. 11, Dickinson handed the boys a heartbreaking 59-56 defeat. E-town led most of the game but lost out in the last chapter.

Jr. Blue Jays had one of their best

streaks of the season, winning four

Rebounding from this defeat the Doddmen captured their next three contests with decisive wins over Mount St. Mary's 66-54, Ursinus 68-50 and Hershey Jr. College 53-25. Jack Bolton led the scoring parade in all three encounters with Kingree, Roth and Lehman all contributing points generously.

The Lebanon Valley understudies then upset E-town's winning ways on Feb. 24 in another close scoring duel 62-59. A scoring surge in the closing minutes by the Flying Dutchmen turned the tide of this close battle. Charley Roth canned 19 points for the Blue Jays while Mt. St. Mary's, substituting for Oxley paced the winners with 20

> The Dodd proteges then posted their second win over Susquehanna ton, with 21, and Kingree, with 14, again paced the Blue Jay attack.

#### Bluebirds Plays 4 Games; Monn Totals 87 Points

In the last four encounters, the Bluebirds have won two. Against a good Bridgewater team they split even, losing 55-46 and winning 34-28. The following game Penn Hall edged E-town 35-34, but the girls bounced back to lace Wagner, N. Y.,

by a decisive 58-31 margin. In each Monn led the attack, tallying 87 points in the four games, and setting a new high of 33 markers against Wagner. Kreider and Warner also proved themselves dependable, totaling 38 and 42 points respectively in the four outings.

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#### **SPORT-SPOT** on JOHN BERGER

by Jack Kline

That good looking, hard playing, guard you usually find in Elizabethtown's back court is Johnny

What you don't know, however, is that John is the "old reliable pro" of the ball club, the most seasoned veteran and the calmest and most consistent under pressure when the chips are down.

A senior, John, is now playing his fourth year of varsity ball, a feat not so outstanding in itself, but when you consider that he never has played any basketball whatsoever prior to his enrollment at Elizabethtown, it definitely becomes remark-



John Berger

A steady floor man and a good defensive man, John usually finds time to can more than his share of points. Currently, he is third in team scoring, having scored 154 points for a 7.3 average. That's not a bad offensive guard.

John, a married ex-GI, attended high school at Reading, his hometown, but never played basketball during his stay there.

Although small, as modern standards go, John, who stand 5 ft. 11 inches and weighs 165, is an able board man and captures many rebounds, usually taking them off taller opponents.

John says that Glenn, his small son, has contributed much to his success on the college hardwood. "Every time he comes to see me play I seem to play my best," concluded John.

A father-son combination like that can hardly go wrong. Watch for Glenn's name in the scoring column

#### North Hall Raiders Set 2nd Half Pace

With the day student number one team having already captured the first half crown, the North Hall "Raiders" are currently showing the way with a 3-0 record in the torrid second half intramural battle.

Both day student teams, one and two, are also undefeated in the second half race but have only played one game to date.

North Hall posted a win over South Hall, 40-36, in a game featured by a scoring duel between Burdick of the Raiders and Ebersole of South Hall. The Center Hall Canaries also succumbed to the North Hall attack 42-34 in a well played game, and Memorial Hall was the latest victim, going down to defeat by a 30-27 score.

The Day student number one team win was posted over South Hall 47-38 in a thriller which saw Gordie Foster canning 18 points.

The day student number two team captured their initial win in a rugged battle with the Center Hall Canaries 46-22.

Two rounds of games remain to be played in the second half in which all three undefeated teams will meet each other. The champion will then meet the first half title winner, Day students number one team, in a championship en-

#### **Library Collection** Of Records Started

Poetic readings, children's stories and music appreciation are the subjects of the new library record collection. According to Miss Alice Sylvester, librarian, \$150 worth of records have been purchased at sales price with money from the library fund.

The records on literature are distributed by the National Council of Teachers of English and feature Basil Rathbone and Norman Cor-

Eventually, the library plans to offer these recordings through a loan service.

Records to be used for French classes are also being considered.

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# May Day Festivities Being Planned; Play, Art Show, Game Highlights

## Beulah Barnthouse to Crown New Queen; Joan Martin Maid of Honor in Court

May Day festivities will begin in the dell on west campus at 1:30 p. m. May 13 when Beulah Barnthouse, last year's queen, will crown Maxine Bowman, new May Queen. Maid of honor will be Joan Martin.



The May Court: Top row: Ardyce Trout, Norma Haverstick. Patricia Boggs, Doris Kopp, Margaret Bose. Bottom row: Betty Ann Hammers, Joan Martin, Maxine Bowman, the queen, and Nancy Mathias.

Seniors to Take Part

In Week of Activity

Members of the 1950 graduating

class will participate in a week of

class activities, May 8 to 12, to be

To cover a part of the expenses

events planned have been assessed

According to John Berger, presi-

dent, the week will be one of varied

On Monday, May 8, the seniors

will present an hour long chapel

program before the entire student

body. The day will be climaxed

with a doggie roast beside Lake

On Wednesday, seniors and their

guests will leave the campus to at-

tend a night baseball game at Phil-

A banquet at Wiggins restaurant

in Lancaster, has been planned for

Thursday, May 11. Drs. Charles

and Bessie Apgar will be the guests

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The freshmen girls who will participate in the traditional Maypole dance for the queen's entertainment will be coached by Miss Alice Sylvester and Louise Bartenslanger.

They are: June Ramsberger, Phyllis Dougherty, Nancy Shaeffer, Geraldine Snyder, Jean Bagenstose, Betty Anne Whitmore, Anita Swords, Cora Mae Gettel, Shirley Warner, Betty Horn and Mariane Beane.

MAY DAY (Continued on Page 3)

#### Phys. Ed. Dept. to Hold Gala Field Day

Under the supervision of the physical education department, a spring field day will be held on April 26.

This includes an afternoon of games, races, jumping, and bell throwing for men and women students. All students are eligible and urged to participate.

Feature events for the men will be 100 and 200 yard dashes, mile run, mile relay, running broad jump, standing broad jump and baseball throw.

Feature events for the women will include 50 and 75 yard dashes, shuttle relay, baseball throw, standing broad jump, basketball throw and volley ball.

In case of rain field day will be held over until May 3.

#### German Physicist to Speak to Assembly Dr. Carl Friedrich von Weiz-

saecker, professor of theoretical physics at the University of Goettingen in the British zone of Germany, will speak to an all-student assembly on May 1 on the topic "Physicist's View of the World."

Doctor von Weizsaecker was invited here by the University of Chicago as a guest lecturer in the department of physics, and has traveled widely within the United States under the sponsorship of the univer-

The German physicist is head of the Max Planck Institute of the University of Goettingen, which is a famous institute of research.

### Horace Mann Banquet Sponsored by FTA

The FTA will sponsor a Horace Mann banquet at Baker's diner, Elizabethtown, on May 4, with Dr. Eugene Bertin, assistant secretary of the PSEA as the guest speaker.

Horace Mann, an advocate of free public schools, stated that "all the high hopes of a more glorious future for the human race are built upon the elevation of the teacher's profession and the enlargement of teacher's usefulness." This has been designated as the theme for the FTA banquet.

The program committee is composed of: Barbara Nelson, Matthew Meyer and Margaret Bose. Members of the arrangement committee are: Paul Raffensperger, LaRue Monn and Janice Anderson.

# Community Choral Club to Present 'The Holy City' at Annual Concert

# On New Constitution

A new constitution for the student body is imminent. The proposals drawn by the student committee on constitutional revision were revised and accepted by the students at a recent constitutional meeting in the gymnasium. Final approval by the administrative committee is expected soon.

In contrast to the former constitution a number of changes have been made. Representatives to the Student Senate will be elected from the student body at large.

There will be 11 members on the Student Senate instead of 12 formerly. The Student Councils will be replaced by committees on men's and women's affairs. In addition to these changes the Etownian and -Etonian will become publications of the student association.

George Breneman, a senior, was named temporary chairman of the student meeting. He read the constitution proposals of the committee and also took charge of the student

Members of the revision committee as named by the Student Senate president Mervin Hess, also a member of the committee, are Robert Graham, chairman, Elsie Bomgardner, Doris Kopp, Joyce Foley, Harry Shuster, Armon Snowden, Hartmut von Hentig and George Breneman.

## Campus Body Decides Students Sing Solo Parts in Oratorio

The Community Choral Club, a ninety voice choir will sing "The Holy City" by Alfred Robert Gaul in the auditorium-gymnasium at 8:00 p.m. on Friday, April 28.

Nancy Mathias, soprano; Betty Hammers, alto; Mervin Hess, tenor and Gene Swords, bass, are the four soloists. The choral ensemble is accompanied by Gladys Stehman and directed by Prof. David Albright.

The oratorio is divided into two parts: the Contemplation and the Adoration. Part one is concluded by the chorus "Thine is the Kingdom." The second part becomes majestic as a double chorus sings "Let the Heavens Rejoice" and is climaxed by the familiar "Great and Marvellous are Thy Works."

"The Holy City" is the best-known work of Alfred Robert Gaul and was first presented at the Birmingham Festival in 1882.

The Choral club is comprised of interested singers from the college and the community. This concert is the second annual spring concert of the organization.

#### House of Rimmon Financial Success

The faculty-student play, "The House of Rimmon" was a financial success according to K. Ezra Bucher, college treasurer.

Over \$1,500 in contributions poured into the treasurer's office. Proceeds from the production will be spent to purchase library furniture for the nearly completed new library building.

Expenses for the play amounted to \$300 for the stage sets, properties, costumes, make-up and newspaper publicity. Other printing and advertising was contributed by local

#### Haiti Seen Awakening to a New Age By Mrs. Keener, Missionary at School

By Gwendolyn Roddy

If you want to see the beautiful island of Haiti as a primitive country, go quickly.

For on the horizon are signs of earliest years." improvement for the "land of braying donkeys, and crowing roosters, and black babies on mud floors and crawling around in mud outside and the loud thudding of drums," states all seniors have been assessed the Mrs. Luella Keener, missionary to sum of \$3. Those bringing non- Haiti, who is completing her third senior guests to one or all three year in Elizabethtown college.

The beginning of a whole educational system is being started by Mr. and Mrs. Keener (and others), who went to Haiti in 1946 under the Unevangelized Fields Mission and returned in the fall of 1949. She will receive her B.S. in elementary education upon the completion of her fourth year on her next furlough.

A long drawn-out process, perhaps, but very worthwhile for one who knows that by her degree the government of Haiti will accredit the training school for native teachers in Port au Prince, education center of the mission.

Thirty-five schools up to grade four have been started-"just a beginning"-in a land where 85% of the people can neither read nor write. Progress for schooling beyond fourth grade is also advancing.

"It's all different!" exclaimed Mrs. Friday, May 12 has been set aside as Keener as she described the simple schools which are built and pro- spirits," Mrs. Keener concluded. | Crozier Tin ological seminary.

vided for by the parents; then she added: "The teacher has no discipline problems—the children have an intense desire to read from their



Evangelistic tours over mountains and through rivers are another vital part of the Keeners' ministry. The results of these are the beginning of churches and schools for the Negro republic which has seen "revolution after revolution."

"Government officials have been known in all parts of the island to about because of the impact of the gospel, which has turned them from

#### President's Schedule For Month Extensive

Dr. A. C. Baugher is today attending the Rotary convention at Hershey and on April 21, the president will attend a meeting of the Harrisburg Alumni club.

At Chambersburg on April 22 part 23, Doctor Baugher will tal Brandt's in the Bible Institute

The president will attend the church. ministerial meeting of the Church of the Brethren at the Indian Creek church April 26 and 27.

Mr. K. Ezra Bucher and Doctor Baugher will then attend the inauguration of President Horace A. Hildregh at Bucknell university on

On May 5 the president will at-April 209. say that the upward surge has come tend, a meeting of the Lebanon Alum ni club of the college and on May 13 inaugural ceremonies for the terrible bondage of fears and Presider of Sankey Lee Blanton at

#### Letter to the Editor of the Etownian

It is inevitable that there will be moments when we are inclined to regret the adoption of our Constitution in its new form. We might think that, after all, it does not make too much difference what the structure of any organization is if its realm of action, the type of its personnel, and the "outside" forces applied to it remain essentially the same. Our dilemma will be real and the arguments by which we hope to get out of it must be real too. The following statements may serve as an arsenal for such arguments.

1. The Constitution is but the tool, the instrument, by which certain aspirations and principles are to be carried out. It does not create them. We can live on a campus without having a Constitution at all, and we can also have a Constitution without using it. The Constitution will do nothing by itself.

2. The Constitution does not expressly state that in the first place we want a Christian campus and that all our activities should be guided by Christian principles-and by them alone. Some will say that this is so natural that it need not be mentioned; some will feel very keenly this omission. As any constituted organization our Student Association and its constitution are documents of human weakness. We need them because principles alone have not enough power over us. Our true Constitution should be within us: our Christian Brotherhood, the Christian command for constant cooperation. If we would truly live by it we could do without such a piece of paper as we have come to

3. The Constitution does not make any suggestions as to what should be done further. But many such suggestions have been considered in making the Constitution. The committee felt that it should not anticipate the work of future Student Governments. Carrying out such projects is one of the most unifying elements in campus life. The struggle for them in itself is a benefit quite apart from its ultimate achievements. Among the suggestions were:

(a) The creation of an organ for immediate and independent expression of student opinions on any matter. (A student bulletin board, etc.)

(b) To make the Etonian a school instead of a class project (only partly achieved under the new Constitution)

(c) To give a new name to the yearbook.

(d) To break down the artificial class system which is merely an administrative regulation and should have no bearing on our campus life. (A system could be worked out by which e.g. dedication of class memorials and other meaningful functions of the classes could be carried out without the old, presumptuous class organization).

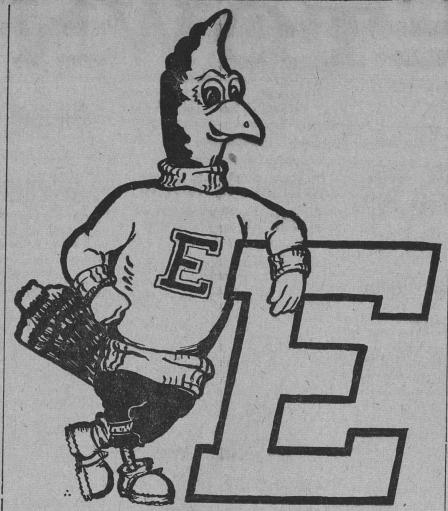
(e) To establish a workshop for students.

(f) To consult the faculty and administration about the possibility of additional seminars on social science, international relations or other subjects as may seem desirable. (Create a student-faculty committee on raising the standard of scholarship, examinations.)

(g) To set up principles of justice and honor that no such confusion may prevail as has in the case of cheating.

There are many things which can and should be done. If the Student Government is merely performing routine work; if the students' activities are merely "preserved"; if the campus life is not constantly growing and being enriched; if the relations between faculty, administration and students are not daily improvedthen in fact we must regret the great amount of effort and time spent in giving ourselves a new Constitution. It would have been in vain.

> Very truly yours, Armon Snowden.



# The Birth of the Bluejay!

C. Frederick Horbach drew it and now you're wearing it! All over campus, on blotters, sweaters, decals, the newly-born bluejay is spreading his wings.

How has this bird come to be chosen as the symbol of spirit typical of our college campus?

With its blue body and gray and white breast, the bluejay wears the colors of the school, and with its well known fighting spirit characterizes the efforts shown by our teams in competition.

Perhaps Gray Ghosts or Phantoms would better fit your likes or dislikes. Until 1945, our teams were often referred to by those names, but with little or no particular meaning to support their use.

At any rate, the bluejay was selected as the emblem from a number of suggestions submitted by students in 1945-46, and after being voted upon by the student body, was adopted as the symbol of Elizabethtown college.

Difficulty then arose as to what kind or type of bluejay was wanted to represent the college. Should it be the strict interpretation of the jay in all his plummage of blue and gray feathers with the distinguishable "head piece"? Or would the collegiate looking bird with the pronounced "tail piece" better fit the situation?

Ah, yes! You have guessed correctly, the artist Horbach managed to incorporate both! And the collegiate jay is now official as he appears most recently on blotters and sweaters sold in the school store. Since this appearance, other decals and insignia have also been ordered for students

So, Mr. Bluejay, as he is now portrayed wearing a lettered-sweater and oxfords, officially stands ready to represent our college in all forms of competition. (However, a less active bird, the bluebird, is used as the symbol for girls' competitive sports.)

Truly, "The Bluejays are at bat," "The Bluejays have taken to the court to win another," "The Bluejay soccermen have scored again." All these and others are more rapidly becoming part of our daily vocabulary. Thus, as the tiger symbolizes Princeton, the bulldog, Yale, so Mr. Bluejay stands for the spirit and rivalry consistent at E-town!

# With Our Eds and Coeds

Wedding bells rang out this month as Norma Landis and Don Haverstick were married on April 1. Paul Boltz took the step on April 8, when he was married to Doris Smith, Elizabethtown.

"Bonnie" McNally and Jerry Burdick were married recently and are residing at 230 College avenue.

Donnadale Smucker, Betty Hammers, Ike Royer and Mervin Hess may be counted among the privileged few who managed to see the revival of G.B.S.'s "Caesar and Cleopatra."

Jesse H. Brown and Warren S. Kissinger expressed their individual viewpoints concerning capital punishment with respect to the decision of the jury in the Gibb's case in the "Letters to the Editor" column of the Daily Intelligencer Journal, Lancaster, on March 21.

The Elizabethtown fire company was called out recently to fight the fire in the woodpile located in the orchard. The woodpile became ignited when workmen burning brush were unable to keep the flames under control. None of the college buildings or students' automobiles were near enough to be seriously threatened by the fire.

The following engagegments have been announced: Barbara Bowman and Gene Swords; Mary Greenwalt and James Whitacre. Clara Waser's engagement to Ivan Patterson of Dayton, Ohio, also was announced during the Easter recess, as was Carlton Lehman's engagement to Jean Jones of Har-

LaRue Monn was surprised at a birthday party held for her in York by Janice Anderson. Those attending from the campus included: Charmaine Fickes, Louise Bartenslager, Pauline Nissley, Bob Stehman, Clyde Weaver, Bill Helm, Jim Meminger and William Kell.

Elizabethtown College made the headlines of the Lancaster newspapers twice during the past month. One large photo and article featured our three foreign students (Andre Yon, France, Hartmut von Hentig and his brother Ronald von Hentig, Germany), and their impressions of democracy. The other concerned the progress of construction of the new college library and the faculty-student benefit play, "The House of Rimmon."

# Did You Know That

. . . Julius Belser has devised life's most horrible experience—sliding down a bannister that turns into a razor blade.

... When the Journalism Class was touring the newspaper plant at Lancaster, Gwendolyn Roddy asked the use of one of the machines. The guide replied dryly, "We have that one to fry eggs."

. . . . Men find it easy to trust in weapons of widespread destruction but call the greatest power in the world unpractical.

... Hugh Manifold's much discussed 1946 Buick eight passenger limousine turned out to be a 1935 Buick sedan smoke screen.

.... An anonymous poll was conducted on campus recently to determine the response of students and faculty to the common courtesy of opening the door. The faculty missed a perfect score by one person. Men students responded favorably in 70% of the cases, and the women students in 57% of the cases. The poll extended over the period of a month.

. . . . The deepening spiritual life cell group is the only one of the nine interest groups of the Student Christian Movement that is still active.

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#### There is a Difference

A number of students have suggested a type of school newspaper that would contain humorous anecdotes, and other light features, something that would be entirely for the student body.

What these students are proposing is not a college newspaper but a college humor magazine, the type put out by larger institutions. Such an idea is a fine proposal.

However, to attempt to use the Etownian for such a purpose is wrong. The Etownian, like all college newspapers is a formal publicity organ serving to inform students, faculty, alumni and others not directly related to the institution, of the activities which reflect policy and progress.

Our college newspaper is not intended nor ever should be for the consumption of the student body alone, but rather it serves as a formal accurate record of all activities of the college.

#### **Editorial Orchids and Carnations**

Editorial orchids to Miss Alice Sylvester, Mrs. Ira Herr and Dr. Bessie Apgar for their splendid production work displayed in the recent facultystudent play "House of Rimmon." And carnations to Messrs. Apgar, Bucher, Stambaugh and Dodd, who also helped make the benefit play a wonderful

Flowers also to Joan Martin and Janice Anderson, for their fine supporting performances.

Editorial carnations are also given to Jesse Sheetz, Karl Kolva, Hartmut von Hentig, Galen Herr, Elmer B. Hoover, A. C. Baugher, Carl E. Heilman, Ellis Shenk and Wilmer Trinkle.

#### Food for Thought

Can you detect a false argument when you hear one? It is easy to say "yes" but remember-some people have a convincing way of setting forth a pet theory.

An extreme example of this is the man who stopped a college student on the street and began to tell him about the origin of monasteries.

"Many years ago," he said, "certain wise men discovered that culture and education were dying out because all the people were getting married. They decided to go apart for study and thus saved civilization!"

This story might be very funny were it not for the fact that many are led astray every day by stories just as ridiculous.

What do you do when you hear a new argument? Do you swallow it whole or do you weigh it carefully? The answer to this is a real test of wisdom.

#### May Queen Maxine Bowman Has Varied E-town Delegates **Interests from Music to Photography**

By Vivian Snyder

Few girls can claim the distinction of being chosen queen twice, but Maxine Bowman, who will be crowned here on May Day, will be one of

maid of honor in the May Court's during her sophomore year and as an attendant last year, was May Queen in high school.

Her friendly personality and varied interests, ranging from music and poetry to sports and photography, are undoubtedly major factors leading to her popularity.

Maxine has attended Elizabethtown college all four years, majoring originally in liberal arts and changing courses in her junior year to major in elementary education.

"Getting a basketball uniform during my freshman year," was her reply when quizzed on her happiest memories associated with the college. She also stated that the friends she has made have been an increasing source of joy.

When the news of her victory as queen swept the campus, Maxine was in her room sound asleep. Her friends at Fairview awakened her and told her the news, and suddenly she realized that all the lights were on, and the room was full.

Standing five feet, three inches tall, this senior beauty, who has five brothers and two sisters, likes nearly all food—and especially seafoods.

During her college years she has been active in cheerleading, basketball, choir, S. C. M., choral club, and F. T. A. In addition to these activities and her schoolwork, she has served as a waitress both in the college dining hall and in the Sky Grill in Elizabethtown and has worked at the office of the Continental Press, also in town.

After graduation, Maxine hopes to teach second or third grade—and to keep house, since, on June 11, she and Glenn C. Zug plan to be married in her home church in King Ferry, N. Y.

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Von Hentig to Study

Greek at University Hartmut von Hentig has been fellowship in the department of Greek Language and Literature.

His advance studies will begin June 27 and will extend through three quarters to May, 1951. Holders of the fellowship are required to devote full time to graduate study leading toward an advanced degree.

"To me it is the most interesting university in the United States at this time. Thus I feel that I have Pennsylvania. been extremely lucky."

While in Chicago Hartmut will devote his full energies to the study of Greek.

"For the first time during my studies," he stated, "I am completely free to work on my Greek and not worry about other subjects or means of support."

#### MAY DAY

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Excerpts from Shakespeare's "As You Like It" will be enacted by members of the Sock and Buskin club under the direction of Mrs. Jean Herr and Mrs. Ira Herr.

Following the formal crowning will be a baseball game with Lincoln university and a tennis match with Dickinson college on the new courts; an art exhibit. The day's activities will conclude with a studentmusicale in the evening.

The May Day committee is composed of Charmaine Fickes, chairman; Jesse Sheetz, properties; C. Frederick Horbach, art exhibit; Louise Bartenslanger, dances; and Gladys Stehman, music.

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# Attend Model UN

City college of New York played host to nearly 250 model United Nations delegates, recently. Four delegates from Elizabethtown college represented Ecuador.

The major difference of the model assembly from the actual UN was the division of each delegation into four working committees. Ecuaawarded a University of Chicago dor's delegates were Hartmut von Hentig, political and security; Armon Snowden, economic and social, Patricia Boggs, human rights and Benjamin Ebersole, structure of UN and revision of charter.

> The ambassadors of Chile and Australia spoke to the student delegates during the convention.

Next year's model UN will be held at Beaver college, Jenkintown,

#### **Varied Spring Events** Featured by Clubs

A state convention, an Appalachian trail field trip and an IBM demonstration constitute the activities of campus clubs.

On May 5 and 6, eighteen delegates will attend a two day state FTA convention in Harrisburg. These delegates are: Edith Snyder, Justine Lawver, Lois Rinehard, Laure Mae Boone, Mildred Becker, Grace Keeney, Charmaine Fickes, James Whitacre, Paul Raffensperger, William Means, Kenneth Thompson, Ziegler Heilman, Doris Kopp, Janice Anderson, Helen Kreider, LaRue Monn, Jesse Sheetz and Margaret Bose. James Whitacre, president of the group, will also serve as an interrogator.

An Appalachian trail field trip climaxed by a barbecue at the home of the Doctors Apgar is the April highlight of the Sigma Kappa Ki club, according to Jesse Sheetz, president.

The Comerciantes club, Edgar Bitting, president, motored to Harrisburg recently, to observe an IBM demonstration on business machines and practices.

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#### Penna. Constitution Subject for ICG; **Twenty-two Students Attend Conference**

Mr. and Mrs. C. Arthur S. Hollinger, Bainbridge, are the parents of a daughter born February 21 in the Lancaster General Hospital. Mr. Hollinger graduated here in '39 and is at present teaching history and government at the East Donegal Township high school in Maytown.

Annual class reunions will be held on Alumni Day, May 27. This year classes of every five years, beginning with 1905, will participate.

Alumni chapters are planning annual spring meetings. Those scheduled are: Harrisburg, April 21; York and Juniata Valley, April 28; and Lebanon Valley, May 5.

Ruth E. Mumma, '48, Florin, and Mark Layman, Denbigh, Va., were married April 8 in the Mount Pleasant Brethren in Christ church near Mt. Joy. Mary Brubaker, '47, was bridesmaid.

The marriage of Arlene E. Forney, daughter of Rev. Roy S. Forney, '31, 406 Chandler Ave., Johnstown, and the former Elizabeth Allwein, to E. Richard Kreider, Lancaster R. D. 5, took place April 9 in the Bird-in-Hand Methodist church.

Wilbur Beahm, '29, president of the alumni association and principal of the Mt. Joy high school, was recently elected president of the Mt. Joy Rotary club for a one year term.

C. Nelson Charles, 36, East Petersburg, died March 2 at his home after an illness of three weeks. Mrs. Charles was the former Anna Ruth

Dr. J. Ralph Parrett, Elizabethtown dentist, spoke on "Modern Dentistry" at a recent meeting of the Science club, Jesse Sheetz, president, reported.

The classes of 1929 and 1933 are going to place long neglected markers for the class trees planted when the classes graduated.

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A delegation of twenty-two students' headed by George Breneman attended the annual inter-collegiate conference on government April 14, 15, 16 held at the Forum in Harrisburg, Pa.

This year's conference centered around the project of writing a new constitution for the state of Penn-

The delegation from Elizabethtown served on twelve committees: Howard Wittel, Irwin Wenger, Bill of Rights; Michael Donnelly, Mrs. Patricia Donnelly, Suffrage and Elections; Robert Hess, Jesse Brown, the Legislative; Mrs. Beatrice Caplan, Mark Bartman, the Executive; Leonard Grimm, the Judiciary; Jack Hornafius, Richard Heisey, Civil Service; Harry Shuster, James Whitacre, Education; Mervin Hess, Newton Kendig, Public Welfare; Galen Fahnestock, Ziegler Heilman, Taxation and Finance; Armon Snowden, Harold Ebersole, State-Local Relations; Edward Smith, Paul Sensenig, Local Government; Martin Risser, Revision and Amendment. Faculty adviser was Professor Mahlon H. Hellerich.

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#### Basketball Tabs of Men's, Women's, **And Junior Varsity Teams Listed**

Compiled below are the tabulations for the men's, women's and junior varsity basketball scores.

The complete varsity basketball scoring for the season for each individual player is as follows. Team record and scores of all games will be published in the yearbook.

	G.	F.	TI
Foster	134	69	337
Meminger	85	54	224
Berger	73	20	166
Brunner, J.	65	19	149
Haverstick	58	22	138
Brunner, E	42	33	117
Schneider	43	27	113
Helm	34	12	80
Hess	30	10	70
Royer	25	15	65
Trupe	11	8	30
Martin	8	4	20
Bolton	2	. 0	4
Kingree	1	0	2
Team average per game	e 63.	3 po	ints
Opponents' average			

Junior varsity scoring for the season stands high. Season record will Beaver and Bob Harlin. be published in the yearbook:

	G.	F.	T
Bolton	104	63	27
Lehman	70	14	154
Kingree	53	44	150
Roth	41	34	116
Royer	38	12	88
Grill	27	29	83
Kline	32	10	74
Reighard	12	7	3.
Hamme	12	5	29
Helm	10	7	2'
Kell	6	6	18
Ranck	5	0'	10
Whitacre	2	1	:
Martin	1	1	:
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Girls' varsity scoring for the sea-

	G.	F.	Tl.
Monn	105	53	263
Kreider	63	13	139
Warner	56	19	131
Bagenstose	5	1	11
Weicksel	3	0	6
Gettel	2	1	5
Hammers	1	0	2
Bomgardner	1	0	2
Team average	46.6	po	ints.
Opponents' average	. 33.8	po	ints.

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## Tennis Team to Make Spring Debut at L. V.

The Elizabethtown "racketeers" will open their 1950 tennis season on April 19, against Lebanon Valley, in an endeavor to continue an 18 game winning streak established by the college tenniseers of the past

A tough road lies ahead however, for gone from last year's undefeated six are such court stalwarts as Frank Zink, Ed Fitzkee, Harry Earhart and Harold Fellenbaum.

The squad will be under the tutelage of playing coach Jim Meminger, one of the returning veterans. Jim Roberts and Bernard Grissinger are the only other two veterans who saw action last season.

Among the other aspiring racketmen are Harry Shuster, Bill Schnieder, Jesse Sheetz, Gordon

#### Varsity 'E' Winners To Form New Club

Athletes of Elizabethtown college, both past and present, will form the new Varsity 'E' Club, Paul Boltz, president of the Athletic association, announces.

With the purpose to promote a more unified athletic student body and athletic interest, the club will include all persons awarded the varsity letter and who wish to become members.

Earl Hess is chairman of the formulating committee consisting of Paul Boltz, Donald Haverstick, William Schneider, Carl Martin, John Brunner, John Berger, LaRue Monn and Doris Kopp.

Alumni candidates will receive membership information from the formulating committee as to the procedure for joining the club.

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#### **SPORT-SPOT** on Russel 'Bucky' Walter

by Jack Kline

This current baseball season will This current baseball season will mark the end of a highly successful Harry Heisey Says four year collegiate mound career for Elizabethtown's ace, "Rapid Russel" Walter.

A senior, Bucky has been a mainstay on the mound staff for three previous seasons. His three year record now stands at 15 wins against 10 losses, which is good pitching in anybody's league.

Strangely enough, Bucky's greatest mound performance was a defeat at the hands of the Lebanon Valley nine last season. For eight and two-thirds innings he spun a no-hit masterpiece only to have a walk and a fluke single nab him of his no-hitter and the victory, 1-0.



Not too big for a pitcher, Bucky stands 5 feet, 10 inches and weighs 175 pounds and possesses a fast ball which really takes off. This delivery, along with his curve, is his best

He is also a good man with the stick and often plays in the outfield or in a pinch-hitting role.

Bucky is from Biglerville, where he was a letterman in high school baseball, basketball and football, played semi-pro ball the last two summers. He starred for Dillsburg, two-time champion of the fast West Shore league.

Having played ball since the age of ten, "Rapid Buck" loves the game and holds aspirations of continuing in the national pasttime. An education major, he plans to do high school coaching.

If his coaching is as effective as his right handed slants, he should zoom, as fast as his high hard one, to the top of the coaching profes-

#### Coach Dodd Prepares Men for Penn Relays; First Team Ever Entered in Contest

The boys you've seen recently braving the March winds and April showers jogging around the athletic field, will constitute the first Eliza-

bethtown team ever entered in the Penn Relays.

# School is Growing

Harry Heisey is a familiar figure here on campus. As a caretaker he performs many of the duties which we, as students, are apt to overlook and not fully appreciate.

A native of Lancaster County, Harry has been with us for two years. He now lives in Rheems.

Harry has noticed many improvements in the buildings and general appearance of the school and cites the new library as one of the outstanding examples.

Commenting on the average student "here on the hill," Harry said: "I've never had any trouble with any of the students here. For the most part they seem to know what they want and are serious about their education."

Very conscientious about being at I'm told something is to be done, you can bet it will be done."

Interested in football and basketball, Harry wishes he would have more time to follow sports.

Harry is the proud owner of a 1950 Studebaker but also has an older car. He drives to work in the older auto if the weather is bad, the new one if clear.

Coach Joe Dodd has been putting a group of ten prospective candidates through their paces in an effort to choose the best five men for a four-man relay team. This will be the only event he plans to enter this year.

Since April, a series of time trials has been recorded, assuring every candidate an equal shot at a start-

The team, when selected, will compete in the Middle Atlantic States Conference mile relay of the Penn Relays which will be held at Franklin Field, Philadelphia, on

The boys who are trying for a berth on the school's first relay team include: Andre Yon, Armon Snowden, Bill Kell, George Strickland, Gil Young, Ed Sarkesian, Roland work on time, Harry says: "When and Hartmut von Hentig and John and Ed Brunner.

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## Dr. Corson Addresses 112 Graduates; Commencement Exercises in the Dell College to Confer Two Honorary Degrees; Awards Academic Prizes to 5 Students

The forty-eighth annual commencement exercises are scheduled for the Dell on West Campus at 10 a.m., May 29.

Dr. Fred P. Corson, Bishop of the Methodist church, Philadelphia, will address the graduates.

Two honorary degrees will be ? conferred and academic awards will be presented to students who have done outstanding work in accountting, Bible, biology, chemistry and journalism. Certificates will be awarded to students completing twoyear courses in laboratory technology, medical secretarial, and secretarial science.

The chapel choir will sing "O Light Divine" and "Almighty God."

the board of trustees, will pro- sessions. nounce the invocation.

led by Prof. Galen C. Kilhefner, marshall.

Other activities of commencement include the baccalaureate service, which will be followed by a reception to the members of the graduating class and their parents on the church lawn at the Washington street Church of the Brethren.

#### Robert Young Appointed Administrative Assistant

Pres. A. C. Baugher announces that Robert S. Young, Palmyra, has Earhart, Manheim; Roy Forney, been appointed as administrative assistant. He will devote his time to the promoting of the interests of the college and to the solicitation of funds for special projects and endowment.

#### Physician, Minister Win Honorary Degrees

A physician and a Christian minister will receive the honorary degrees of Doctor of Science and Doctor of Divinity at the forty-eighth annual commencement exercises.

Dr. N. Volney Ludwick, Professor of Radiology and Clinical Professor of Oncology in the Hannemann Medical college and hospital, Philadelphia, will be the recipient of the degree of Doctor of Science.

Active in the interests of the detection and treatment of cancer and trained in radiology, Dr. Ludwick holds a Fellowship in the American College of Radiology and certification by the American Board of Radiology. He is a graduate of Pennsylvania State college and The Hahnemann Medical college.

The Doctor of Divinity degree will Activity Booklets be conferred upon Prof. H. H. Nye, Professor of History and Political Science at Juniata college. He is the recipient of degrees from Elizabethtown and Franklin and Mar-Pennsylvania. Professor Nye served as Professor of History at Elizabethas president in 1929-30.

Professor Nye has been active in Mission board for 19 years.

### 89 Men, 23 Women, 68 Veterans in Class

The largest class in the fifty year history of Elizabethtown college will be graduated this year.

Of 112 seniors, 82 complete their work in May. The remaining 30 will fulfill requirements for the va-Dr. Rufus P. Bucher, chairman of rious degrees during the summer

Men students comprise the largest The academic procession will be single group in this year's class, numbering 89 as compared to 23 women students. Of the total 68 are veterans.

Those who will receive A.B. degrees in Liberal Arts are: Paul Boltz, Ira Floyd, Ziegler Heilman and Robert Nissley. They are all residents of Elizabethtown. Similar degrees will be awarded to: Mark Bartman, Harrisburg; Donald Bohrer, Kieper, W. Va.; Arthur Bowser, Glen Rock; Jesse Brown, Brownstown; Richard Brubaker, Mt. Joy; William Davis, Columbia; Harry Florin; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Frantz Continued on page 3

#### Dean's List Includes 19 Honor Students

The Dean's list of honor for the first half of the second semester was received with a combination of surprises, disappointments and elation.

Students taking top honors were: Seniors, Edgar Bitting, Arthur Bowser, Mary Hess, Robert Hess, Charles Schaffer and Hartmut von Hentig; Juniors, I. Jerome Bauknight, Mrs. Patricia Donnelly and A. Joy Risser; Sophomores, Marshall House, James Obetz and Gwendolyn Roddy; Freshmen, Patricia Boggs, Laura Mae Boone, John Dean, Daniel Hoopert, Frederick Ranck and Ellis Shenk; Special student, Frederick Boyer.

#### Idaho Forests Lure Students for Summer

"Go West Young Man" will be taken seriously by a trio of students this summer.

Paul Davis and John Thompson have been employed by the National Forestry Service to work in the Coeur d' Alene forest in Idaho. Coeur d' Alene is one of 13 forests in one division. Paul and John will help clear out an area of pine trees killed by blister rust.

When asked about how much the pair expected to make in terms of money, Paul said: "We'll just be glad to break even."

George Strickland on his way to Los Angeles will accompany them part of the way.

#### Gwendolyn Roddy, New Editor, Says **Etownian to Reflect High Standards**

"It is my hope that next year's Etownian will reflect high journalistic standards and will uphold the Christian ideals of the college," stated Miss Gwendolyn Roddy, the newly elected editor of the student publication.



# Net THE ETONIAN

The student activity booklets, which had been tossed into drawers shall colleges and the University of and corners when the basketball season ended, came into their own yesterday when they were extown college from 1916 to 1929 and changed for the college annual, The

Almost all of the 350 students rethe affairs of the Church of the ceived their black and gold bound Brethren, serving on the General yearbook on the lawn north of Alpha hall.

Miss Roddy was a member of the journalism class this year and served on the editorial staff in the capacity of news editor. Though a news writer she is best known for her writing of feature material.

Two of her latest articles featuring the Drs. Charles and Bessie Apgar and the new student president appear on page three of this issue.

A native of Maine, Miss Roddy now lives in Wynnewood, Pa. She is an honor student and an English major in the liberal arts course. Upon graduation she expects to teach in the secondary schools.

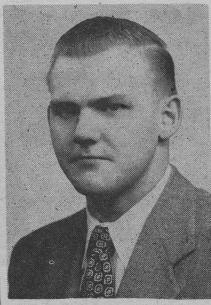
Included in the staff for next year will be the present members of the journalism class and the new class, Miss Roddy added.

## 'Spiritual Values' Concern SCM Pres.

"My chief concern is that we as students might find the deeper itual values of the Christ-lik of life," said Earl Ziegler, elected president of the Christian movement.

Other SCM officers for nex are: Julius Belser, vice-presid Louise Bartenslager, secretary Albert Seldomridge, treasurer.

# Students Choose W. Trinkle Pres.; 90 Percent of Voters Out for Election



Wilmer Trinkle

#### Voice, Piano Recital Presents 17 Students

Seventeen students will participate in the annual spring voice and piano recital which will be held in the college auditorium-gymnasium, May 26, 7:30 p. m.

Piano students of Mrs. E. G. Meyer will present Beethoven's Fur Elise played by Gilbert Young. Gretchen Sherman will play Sofeggietto by Carl Phillip Emmanuel Bach; Palmgren's May Night will be given by Marian Beane; Rachmaninoff's Prelude in C Sharp Minor will be given by Charmar Hershey; and a duet by Armon Snowden and John Thompson, The Strolling Players by Cora W. Jenkins, will be presented.

Professor W. David Albright's voice students who will participate are Elsie Bomgardner, Barbara Nelson, Marie Schroyer, Lucille Heisey, Doris Fox, Anita Swords and Gretchen Sherman.

Nancy Mathias and Gene Swords, Betty Ann Hammers and Mervin 3 p. m. Hess, will sing duets.

## Dr. Harner Addresses **Alumni Banquet Here**

Dr. Nevin C. Harner, professor of Christian Education, Theological Seminary of the Evangelical and Reformed church, Lancaster, will be the guest speaker at the alumni banquet next Saturday, May 27.

Wilbur I. Beam, '29, president of the association, will preside. The toastmaster is Melvin F. Shissler, 25. The president of the senior class, John Berger, will introduce the Class of 1950.

ouncil will meet at

#### Earl Hess Becomes New Vice-president

In a whirlwind campaign of campus electioneering Wilmer Trinkle became the new president of the Student Senate and Association for next year.

Ninety per cent. of the full-time student body turned out to vote a preferential ballot as provided by the new Constitution. Trinkle won on the first ballot.

To be included among the candidates, office-seekers needed to present petitions signed by 72 students. Others who campaigned for the presidency were Armon Snowden and Earl Ziegler.

Nominees for the offices of vicepresident, secretary and treasurer polled 73 per cent. of the student vote. All those elected won on the first ballot.

Elected for the office of vice-president was Earl Hess. Runnerups were Benjamin Ebersole and Joyce

Margaret Bose became the new student secretary. Other nominees for the office were Dorothy Bomberger and Doris Kopp.

William Schneider was unopposed on the ballot and will assume the office of treasurer.

The Student Senate was completed May 10 with the election of seven en senators: James Meminger, Ben Ebersole, Michael Donnelly, Israel Royer, Earl Ziegler, Albert Seldomridge and Helen Kreider.

#### **Baccalaureate Day** May 28 at 3 P. M.

"Basis for Fellowship" is the subject of Dr. A. C. Baugher's address to the 112 graduates and friends at the annual baccalaureate service to be held in the Washington street Church of the Brethren, May 28, at

Rev. Nevin H. Zuck, pastor of the church, will conduct the devotions and the benediction will be pronounced by Dr. Henry G. Bucher, dean of the college.

The college A Cappella Choir will present two numbers, "We Adore Thee" and "Send Forth Thy Spirit."

#### **Evening News Editor Guest Speaker Friday**

Dean Hoffman, editor of the Harrisburg Evening News, will address students of Elizabethtown college being honored at a recognition banquet in the Hershey Community Dining room, Friday at 6:30 p.m.

Departing from the former custom of having separate banquets for hall. each student activity, this year the college is host to all tivities at one included

#### Prospects for '50 Graduates

"Employment in certain parts of the country is growing more rapidly than in others in the long-run. This is true on the West Coast, the South Atlantic region and Texas. However, the supply of workers in some of these areas-the West Coast for example-has increased more rapidly than job opportunities. Moreover, in rural areas of the country generally the need for workers in some of the professional fields is greater

"General observations about conditions in the job market tend to hide widely varying situations. Prospects are excellent in some occupations, industries, and areas. In others, where wartime and postwar shortages have now been filled, many graduates will find it difficult to get jobs.

"In teaching, for example, there is at once an acute shortage of personnel in the elementary schools and a growing oversupply at the high school level. For the current school year, only one elementary teacher was trained for every three who were needed. On the other hand, four times as many students completed training for high school teaching as were required.

"Other professional fields in which stiff competition for jobs is expected in the next few years include: law, journalism, and personnel work. In engineering, the number of graduates will exceed the number of openings in the early 1950's; after the next 4 or 5 years, the employment situation for new graduates is likely to improve in this rapidly growing profession. In chemistry, competition will be keen during the next few years among persons without graduate training; the outlook is better for those with graduate degrees.

"There will probably also be an oversupply of business administration graduates. A surplus of new graduates has already developed in the field of ac-

Liberal arts graduates with work experience or specialized training will find it easier to get jobs than those with only a general undergraduate education.

"Prospects for new entrants are good in health service occupations. There is a current shortage of nurses, and demand for nursing service will probably continue to rise. In medicine and dentistry those able to enter and complete training will have good opportunities; however, competition is very keen for admission to professional schools. In pharmacy the supply of new graduates has almost caught up with the demand; the profession may be overcrowded in the long run if enrollments in pharmacy colleges continue at present high levels. Good opportunities are expected also for other occupational groups important in health service, such as veterinarians, medical X-Ray technicians, medical laboratory technicians, dental hygienists, physical therapists, occupational therapists, and dietitians.

"The picture facing this year's graduates is a mixed one. Business conditions as a whole are continuing good. In spite of this high level of business activity, the growing labor force and growing productivity may well result in high levels of unemployment. The picture for job opportunities is equally mixed. Some occupations are oversupplied with graduates, and the competition will be intense for the available jobs. Other fields have a demand for jobs which far outweigh the available supply of trained people to fill those jobs. Those whose training lies in the crowded fields have several alternatives open to them. First of all, they

d be well advised to explore the possibilities of ring any fields closely allied to their field of primary erest, where there may be more openings. They nould also explore the possibility of graduate training to equip themselves with more specialized skills."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Facts taken from report by Secretary of Labor Tobin.



# The Freshman Senior

"However welcome the hospitality that surrounds us, we are permitted to receive it but a little while." As the academic procession disappears and student life becomes a memory, graduates all turn from the sheltered past to face a challenging future.

Yes, today is D-Day (Diploma Day) for many college seniors. They have their ribboned scrolls now, but what about tomorrow? It becomes but a blank sheet of paper on which college graduates, just "rookies" in a great big world, must write their own future successes.

Joe Degree will be asked to tread many uncharted paths and rightly so, for the beaten paths are for beaten men. Will he succeed? The chances are he will. Business opportunities, teaching positions, secretarial jobs, and advanced education all are calling the right man.

He will have to make friends, influence people, and above all convince himself that he is the right man for the job. However successful Joe's past has been he knows he cannot stop here. He must walk on his own feet; work with his own hands; speak his own mind.

Castles will tumble, dreams will crumble, but Joe's future will include many failures and defeats along the way. He knows ideas won't work uness he does; so, with the "hope of an optimist, the courage of a hero, and the persistence of the devil," he cuts his niche in the memorial of time.

Elizabethtown College was the "sweetest part of the stream," from here on the current becomes rough, dangerous rapids appear, and there is always the threat of a capsize. Neither Joe Degree nor any other graduate can prosper in his chosen field by depending on past reminiscence but all deserve a chance to prove their worth. They can't ask for anyone to push them, or pick the stones out of the road for them, or hold the door open while they go through, but they can ask for a fair chance.

Opportunities, Joe? The sky's the limit. New blood is needed in every

So before you go, Joe, we want to thank you for a job well done. You have been successful here and our wishes are that the future will be bright but will not blind your eyes to duty. Bon voyage.

# With Our Eds and Coeds

Dick Brubaker and Bernice Miller, Landisville, were married May 6.

Jack Kline and Robert Graham were injured when their car overturned on a curve near Elizabethtown on April 25. Jack, who received injuries of the spine and skull, spent about a week in the St. Joseph's hospital, Lancaster, but Robert, whose neck and skull injuries were more serious, has not yet been released.

Carl Liggio, the Etownian editor, has been stricken with virus pneumonia and is recuperating in the college infirmary.

John Herr is a member of the Lancaster Youth For Christ quartet which sings every Saturday night in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium.

Harvey Brandt and Ralph Weirich were kept busy taking the 1950 census in Elizabethtown re-

Last week Joyce Runk received over fifty handkerchiefs through the mail in honor of her birthday.

The Fairview girls held a doggie roast by the

Hartmut von Hentig painted a picture which is being framed to hang in the Fairview living room.

Representing the SCM from Elizabethtown college at the national meeting of the Fellowship of Reconciliation held in Detroit from May 8 - 12 were: Warren Kissinger, Clyde Weaver, Armon Snowden, Jesse Brown, Robert Stehman, and Hartmut von Hentig.

Several students, including Harold Ebersole, Gilbert Young, and Ben Ebersole, attended a seminar on National Government in action in Washington, D. C.,

John and Ed Brunner "will keep in condition for basketball" this summer by working on the railroad in the Bethlehem Steel Works in Steelton. Their second summer on this job, the brothers will work their five eight-hour days putting in new tracks and repairing old tracks.

Newton E. Kendig has been accepted by the Jefferson medical college, Philadelphia, beginning in September, 1950. Newton will be the fourth generation of Kendigs to attend Jefferson.

Harold Ebersole has been accepted by the Temple University School of Dentistry.

# id You Know That

. . . every minute you are angry you lose sixty seconds of happiness.

... an hour-long Church of the Brethren program is broadcast every other Sunday, from 5 to 6 p. m., over the Lebanon station, WLBR.

... Warren Kissinger and Clyde Weaver toured mental hospitals in the southern states. They sought summer job opportunities for students.

... nowadays the earth revolves on its taxes. . . . with people who boast, it's no sooner done

. . . Herbert Smethers accepted a pastorate recently in Herndon, Pa.

. . Mrs. Longenecker, one of the college cooks. is giving a party for the dishwashers and waitresses. ... he who thinks by the inch and talks by the yard ought to be moved by the foot.

... "Erney" Gantz has never heard the last of it since he returned from a fishing trip without any

. . . many a man who prides himself on being

levelheaded doesn't know how low the level is.

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#### **Keep It Alive!**

"It's there. He only needs something to draw it out of him."

How often have we heard this said of this or that person! Likewise, how often have we heard it said, but in the negative, of the spirit of Elizabethtown college!

The recent elections have proven conclusively that the spirit on this campus is still alive-indeed, very much alive. Who or what is responsible for this revival of spirit which caused 90% of the student body to get out and vote?

The new constitution, some say; the excellent campaigning, others claim; the rivalry of good candidates and their followers, still others declare.

Is it not, however, the combination of all these forces rather than any particular one which has brought about this renewed, and very desirable,

> be defined. Neither can one fully explain this sudous. However, it can be said that spirit such as of each student.

to every student in coilege for the splendid of student life!

implacency. Remember, this spirit will not live on

keep it alive!

#### **Seeds of Unrest**

Swords are rattling again in the international scene.

Some observers have compared the conflicts among nations to the actions of the typical back-yard gang. Always there is a bully who leads the way by bluff and

The United States has helped the war-torn nations to recover economically through Marshall Plan aid. Communist Russia is seeking to destroy the Capitalistic world through bluff and force. Nations have been won to the communist side by a show of force and by a long series of glittering promises.

Why do such tactics work so well?

A great factor is ignorance. Today much of the world is open to any idle word of propaganda which can tear down in a short while the freedoms that have been centuries in building.

A second factor is greed. The invention of the atomic bomb has caused some to pause before acting hastily but then destructive inventions have never prevented wholesale bloodshed.

How then shall we answer these tactics? The place to begin is with ourselves.

will go ahead," the young pre-med-

ical student from Philadelphia de-

clared, and added, "I am happy

about the vice-presidential election

and believe that we have a good

team to forward our program as of-

President of the German club.

"Trink" attended the Perkiomen

prep school in Pennsburg where he

was secretary of his junior class and

participated in football, wrestling

Although the new president ab-

hors "getting up in the morning,"

his likes are many and varied. Ev-

erything from making model air-

planes to fixing guns is enjoyed by

Trinkle who, nevertheless, "can't

Liking all sports, "Trink" has the

greatest fun "coaching my little

brother." From "Dixie Land" to op-

era is his range of musical pleasure,

although "five minutes is enough"

Found in the lab most of his cam-

pus hours, Trinkle spends his after-

school time like any other normal

(?) student—"sleeping, eating, study-

ing and-talking with my room-

After graduation "Trink" hopes

to enter Hahnemann hospital where

he will train for his goal—"being a

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stand to shoot anything."

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fered in the election platform."

#### Drs. Apgar Share Abundant Living; Enjoy Outdoor Life and Many Hobbies and Frederick Gantz, Lebanon, Rob-

by Gwendolyn Roddy

In a little, crowded "two by four" office in the science building may be enjoyed one of the most delightful experiences at Elizabethtown college. Wend your way sometime past all the bottles and specimens of the lab, and there learn to know, which is to admire and appreciate, the Drs. Charles and Bessie Apgar.

You will leave, reluctantly, knowing you have erred in thinking that biology professors do nothing but collect bugs and plants for lab and make up tests on the frog.

Companions in everything, the Apgars enjoy life to the full, especially God's creation. "I like to camp, hike, canoe, watch sunrises, sunsets, storms and paint!" Dr. Apgar declared in one breath. "I love trees and abhor the destruction of any of them. I am an avid hunter but have recently given it up for photography of wild and ocean life."

This summer they plan to tour the state national parks in the West.

Home-"a cabin, kennel house, pigpen, chicken house and garage" -to the Apgars is ten miles from Harrisburg on old route 22 in the foothills of the Blue mountains.

With their vegetables all homegrown, Mrs. Apgar prepares dinner and Dr. Apgar, a sound sleeper who never dreams, rises at 5:45 a. m. and cooks breakfast.

Such famous articles as the swords used in the recent college production of "The House of Rimmon" have been produced in Dr. Apgar's cellar workshop. "I believe I like to play act," commented King Benhadad, his eyes twinkling.

Evenings are spent reading, making out exams (!) and listening to the radio, although on Tuesday nights the doctor claims, "I am so tired I can't last to hear Fibber Mc-Gee and Molly!"

To get a real education in cocker spaniels, talk with Mrs. Apgar. Raising top-rate cockers for ten years, she owned the cocker that won in 1947 the first show points of any dogs in the Harrisburg area and that was a reserve winner's dog. "Tommie and Vickey are our two nice pet

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At a recent meeting of the Lebanon Valley chapter, these officers were elected: Ray Kurtz, president; Amy Sterner, secretary.

The York chapter elected Dan Meyers, president; Helen Rebert, vice-president; Grace King, secre-

The Juniata Valley chapter elected Charles Brandt as president and Mrs. Dorothy Kleck as secretary.

Curtis W. Dubble was elected president and Mrs. Esther Kurtz secretary-treasurer of the Elgin-Chicago chapter.

In the Philadelphia chapter the following were elected: Jay Eshleman, president; John Speidel, vicetary-treasurer.

Harrisburg alumni elected Albert Richwine, president; Richard Hivner, vice-president; Mrs. Ruth Newman, secretary-treasurer; and Lida Anne Swope, assistant secretarytreasurer.

cockers now," added Mrs. Apgar.

Although he doesn't understand women, Dr. Apgar thinks they are wonderful and interrupted jubilantly, as his wife spoke of the years before they met, "The stars were arranged already!" They met in the University of Pittsburgh where both were doing graduate work.

Happy in most any situation, Dr. Apgar expressed both their hopes for the college when he said, "Elizabethtown has a very good and great future, and I hope to be a part in forming it."

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Continued from page 1 ert Graham, Philadelphia; J. Mervin Hess, Marietta; Robert Hess, Mt. Joy; Neal Holabaugh, Harrisburg; Donald Hursh, Shippensburg; Robert Jordan, Harrisburg; Warren Kissinger, Akron; John Lichty, Paradise; Carl Liggio, Bronx, New York; Joseph Long, Hummelstown; Dorothy Messerly, York; Matthew Meyer, Lebanon.

Also, James Mort, Mt. Joy; Paul Raffensperger, Harrisburg; Mrs. Anna Carper, vice-president; Mrs. Mary Rohrbaugh, Camp Hill; John Sauers, Enola; Marie Schroyer, Hopwood; Robert Shultz, Lancaster; David Snavely, Landisville; Edith Snyder, Harrisburg; Ray Snyder, Mt. Joy; Robert Stehman, Salunga; Germany; Clyde Weaver, East Petersburg and James Whitacre, Ridgeley, W. Va.

Twenty-two students who will receive B.S. degrees in science are: John Berger, Stanley Dietrich, Wil- Frank Witman, Morgantown. bur Hornafius, Newton Kendig, Carl Landis, Charles Shaffer, Ralph Weirich and Charles Wells, all of Elizabethtown. Other recipients of Cook, Jr., New Cumberland; Millet De Angles, Binghamton, New York; Harold Ebersole, Hummelstown; Ernest Gantz, New York, N. Y.; Miriam Hershner, York; Richard Hoopes, Lewisberry; Karl Kolva, Halifax; Glenn McCormick, Philadelphia; Jack Priest, Enola; Jesse Sheetz, Elizabethville; Arthur Tucker, Jackson Heights, New York; Gerald Weaver, Manheim; Elmo Winger, Grantham and Simon Zimmerman, Columbia.

Bachelor of Science degrees in business administration will be presented to: George Breneman, Jo-

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#### Trinkle Looks for Year of Progress, **Good Teamwork, Student Co-operation**

by Gwendolyn Roddy

A year of real progress is looked forward to by Wilmer S. Trinkle as he lays aside the white jacket of the lab to don the presidential robes of the Student Senate.

"Elizabethtown has many potentialities and with the good backing of the student body, I believe things

and track.

seph Brown, Junior Dart, Harry Foreman, William Helm, William Moose and Howard Seeds, all of Elizabethtown.

Receiving like degrees are: George Beane, New Cumberland; Edgar Bitting, Marysville; Harvey Brandt, Manheim; Wilbur Bucher, Lancaster; Donald Grannelli, Harrisburg; Kenneth Gingrich, Oakland Mills; Bernard Grissinger, Mt. Joy; John Herr, Salunga; John Hitz, Harrisburg; Donald Hivner, Steelton; William Keller, Harrisburg; Navin Mc-Hartmut von Hentig, Partenkirchen, Williams, York; Eugene Miller, York; Russel Peters, Lebanon; James Roberts, Mt. Joy; Preston Rohrbaugh, York; Milton Rowe, Middletown; Frederick Snyder, Hanover; Leroy Trupe, Ephrata, and

Fifteen women will be awarded bachelor of science degrees in elementary education. They are: Mrs. Jean Herr and Joan Martin, both of president; Lorraine Jamieson, secre- B.S. degrees in science are: Edward | Elizabethtown; Janice Anderson, York; Mrs. Velma Ellenberger, Harrisburg; Megan Harries, York; Mrs. Sara Hughes, Harleyville; Mrs. Arlene Kennedy, New Oxford; Mrs. Arlene Kisslak, Johnstown; LeRue Monn, Greencastle; Lola Reese, Tyrone; Melba Rigley, Uniontown; Gretchen Sherman, McVeytown; Gladys Stehman, Lititz; Ardyce Trout, Felton, and Florence Woodward, Harrisburg.

> Eight bachelor of science degrees in business education will be presented to the following: Clyde Brinser, Middletown; Galen Fahnestock, Ephrata; Jack Frank, Bainbridge; Gilbert Gottshall, Lebanon; Leon Henise, York; Donald Krebs, Glen Rock; Justine Lawver, Biglerville, and Donald Leonhard, Middletown.

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#### Bluejays Win 10-2 Victory May Day; Meyer Pitches; Kell Makes Home Run

Although winning only 4 out of 10 games, the E-town Jays have nevertheless displayed some nearbrilliant baseball. Most of the games have been hitter's games, with only two of them finding the Blue and Gray on the short end.

The Bluejays highlighted the May Day activities with a thumping 10 to 2 victory over a visiting Lincoln University nine.

A rousing six-run outburst in the sixth inning put the game on ice. Matt Meyer pitched steady ball all the way, scattering eight hits and notching 8 strikeouts.

Pacing the attack was catcher Jack Bolton, who collected 3 for 4, and the longest blow was a home run by left fielder Bill Kell.

Only in the early innings was the pitcher in real trouble, and he settled down after that to keep the game under control.

This game looked like another rebound. On Thursday the Jays pounded out an 11-6 triumph over Susquehanna. In two outings previous to that, however, they ran into a couple bad days and were stopped by Lebanon Valley 15-2 and Dick- mound, inson by a 17-5 count. In the L.V.C. game, wildness proved a decisive factor, as three Etown pitchers issued a total of 14 walks.

#### Tennis Players Win 19 Straight Matches

After winning 19 straight matches, the E-town netsters had the streak broken in a 5-4 match with Albright.

This season the boys have picked up wins over Millersville 6-3, Susquehanna 5-4 and 8-1, and Juniata 5-4. Losses, in addition to Albright, were to Dickinson 7-2 and 7-0.

This record is to be praised, however, because the team has only 3 members back from last year, and both the first two on the squad have graduated.

Members of the team are Jim Meminger, Harry Shuster, Jess Sheetz, Dick Harlin, Bernie Grissinger, Jim Roberts and Bill Schnei-

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#### Javs Win Two of Six Free-Scoring Games

Although they have won only two out of their first six games, the Bluejays have proven that they have a potentially fine team that packs plenty of power at the plate.

In the first two starts, they were set back by counts of 12-7 at Millersville and 9-8 at Shepherd, but rebounded to pound out an 11-5 verdict over Pennsylvania Military College.

Bad weather during the pre-season practice session was undoubtedly a decisive factor in losing the first two games, as it had limited the Etowners to just two good outdoor practices. This kept the fielding practice at a minimum and also prevented the pitchers from rounding into shape properly.

The starting team has Meyer, Berger, Snavely and Hess in the infield; Goss, Kell and Kline in the outfield; Bolton behind the plate, and Walter or Koppenhaver on the

Backing these men are veterans Martin, Kingree and Foster; and first-year men Zeigler, Lehman, Roth, Forney and Ruoss.

The fourth game was an extrainning tilt with Bridgewater. Tied 6-6 after the regulation nine innings, the visitors rallied in the eleventh with a walk, two single, and capitalized on a pair of errors to push across three runs and capture a 9-6 decision.

The following game the story was almost the same. In the make-up tilt with Albright, the Lions were trailing 3-2 and crossed the plate with a pair of runs.

The Jays then got back on the trail with a thundering 11-2 win over Susquehanna university. Hitting hard and early, the Herrmen built up a 7-0 lead in the opening stanza, and added to it as they went

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#### **SPORT-SPOT** on EARL HESS

by Carl Kaufman

Whether on the baseball field or the basketball floor, Earl (little bag of tricks) Hess can be counted on to give the crowd something to cheer about. His timely hits and fast breaks are always exciting and extremely thrilling to watch.



Earl, who stands only five feet seven inches tall, loves baseball and makes that his favorite pastime (besides girls). He plays shortstop and has been swinging one of the bigger "sticks" on the college team. His cheerful smiles and engaging personality make him a most likeable individual.

Graduating from Lebanon High in 1940, Earl spent two and a half years in the U.S. Navy before entering college here. He is now studying for a degree in secondary education and after graduation next year expects to become a coach. Possessing fine qualities for this type of work, Earl will go far in coaching and someday be a highly successful

#### First EC Relay Team Wins Seventh Place

in the Middle Atlantic States conference mile relay at the Penn Relays, Franklin Field, Philadelphia, on April 28.

The Elizabethtown boys ran the mile in this order: first, Ed Brunner: second, Hartmut von Hentig; third, Armon Snowden; fourth, Roland von

This was the first time a team participated in the annual events at Franklin Field.

Dodd's runners came in seventh

#### **Keen Competition Marks Field Day:** North Hall Sets Softball Pace

The annual Field Day athletic program was held under sunny blue skies on May 8 and was a huge success from the competitive angle.

A colorful card of both men's and women's events was presented befor the appreciative audience.

Bonnie Kreider walked away with first place honors in all of the girls' events. She was followed by Nancy and Jo Ann Mathias in the 50-yard dash and in the basketball throw Jean Bagenstose and Jo Ann Mathias were runners-up. Bonnie's broad jump of 11' 4" also gave her a first in this event. Arlene Keeney and Mariane Beane placed second and third.

The girls' relay team of Bonnie Kreider, Jo Ann Mathias, Bernice Gibble and Dotty Bomberger captured the 880-yard event over the second and third teams composed of Cora Mae Gettel, Kay Strumpher, Jean Bagenstose and Nancy Mathias; Alice Weicksel, Shirley Warner. Mariane Beane and Arlene Keeney. The winning time was 2.12

The men's events were marked by the fleetness of Carl Martin and the adeptness of Don Reid. All trials were closely contested.

Pres Rohrbaugh copped first place in the fifty-yard dash with a time of 5.2 seconds. Andre Yon finished a close second, with Lou Elliott third.

Carl Martin took the honors in the 100-yard dash and also in the running broad jump with a leap of 16' 5". Don "Bucket" Reid, dressed in everyday attire, jumped 16' 3" to finish a close second.

"Big Ed" Brunner threw a baseball 309' on the fly to win the baseball throwing event. Brunner's throw was nine feet better than that of Carl Martin, runner-up. Ed also took the shot-put honors with a heave of 36' 8". Matt Meyer with 33' 3" copped second place.

Don Reid inched his way to a victory over Bill Foster in the high jump with a jump of an even 5'. Foster couldn't get past the 4' 11"

Charley Roth finished with a strong burst of speed to cop the mile run in 5 minutes 5 seconds over Roland von Hentig and Ed Sar-

In the final race of the day a strong South hall relay team decisively whipped the North hall quartet of Good, Meminger, Elliott and Burdick. The winning four, Brunner, von Hentig, Yon and Martin, posted the goal time of 4 minutes 10 seconds.

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# Fifty Years Show Great Advances; Basic Purposes Remain Unchanged

#### Graduates Increase From Three to 112

Elizabethtown college has reached the half century mark.

Since the first semester began on Nov. 13, 1900 with six students, (all boys), and three teachers meeting in the A. G. Heisey building in Elizabethtown, the college has expanded into the spacious campus and brick | W. David Albright. buildings we know today with 492 students and 33 faculty members.

Three girls, all commercial students, formed the first graduating class in 1903; this year the college will graduate its largest class, totaling 112 members.

The addition of new courses is one factor attracting new students. Instrumental music and an English scientific course were first introduced in 1904. This step was closely followed by the organization of the three year pedagogical course

In 1923 two four-year courses-The Preparatory Classical and the Preparatory Finance and Commercial-were begun in the academy. Introduction of physical education class came in 1923, domestic science and industrial arts classes in 1924, and a music course in 1926.

Today the curriculum includes courses in law, pre-medicine, preengineering, laboratory technology, business administration, medical secretarial science, and others.

Student Associations in 1920 The Young Men's Welfare Association and the Young Women's Welfare Association, which were organized in 1920 and 1921, respectively, have evolved into our present-day student senate and student councils.

Fundamental principles of the volunteer groups and the Keystone, Homerian, Penn, and Franklin literary societies are now incorporated in the Student Christian Movement, Sock and Buskin, and other clubs.

Since the publication of the first Elizabethtown college catalog in August, 1900, and the first yearbook by the class of 1922, they have appeared annually.

A monthly paper, formerly titled "The College Times" but more recently "The Etownian," and a student handbook, "The Rudder," edited by the student senate, are also

present college publications. The main purpose of the college for education under church leadership has not been forgotten. Each year there is a Bible Institute conducted by prominent church leaders, and students attend chapel twice a Bible.

This process growth and development is still continuing. Each student and alumnus has a role to play to make the second half-century of Elizabethtown College as successful as its first.

#### Choral Groups Grow From Small Chorus

During the past fifty years the choral groups of Elizabethtown college have mushroomed from a small men's chorus to eight separate groups. The transformation has been a slow process, developed mostly by Professor and Mrs. E. G. Meyer and during recent years by Prof.

A Men's and later a mixed chorus sang for chapel services and held cantatas or concerts during the school year. A faculty male quartet of sports" was inaugurated. That organized during the '20's, led to the establishment of a mixed chorus and in 1934 a mixed a cappella choir was formed.

This formal group of 24 to 36 voices offers a series of concerts for the various churches of the dis-36 complete concerts during this ed to the college family. fiftieth anniversary year.

#### Alpha Hall Initiates College Building Plans

Ad initium, on June 7, 1899, to be exact, Elizabethtown college became of legal age. Alpha hall, aptly named, was forged from an educator's dream to become the foundation for progress on Conewago hill. At the turn of the century this first brick structure overlooking 50 acres of campus beauty took shape.

In 1905 the Wright brothers gave their airplane its first real test. During that same year the trustees of the college also decided to launch a project, and Rider Memorial Hall came into being giving the college a library, a chapel and a music

Fairview, housing six small apartments, was built the same year that the League of Nations had their first meeting and the "golden age was in 1920.

Like a tree taking on new branches, the college spread out with a fourth building. It was 1927. Lindbergh made his nonstop flight to Paris; Babe Ruth hit 60 home runs; and Gibble Memorial hall, dedicattrict yearly; a series which included ed to the study of science, was add-

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# Library Success Climaxes Jubilee Opened by Honoring Governor Duff

## Spirited Student Activities Crowned By Revision of Student Constitution

Bringing over a thousand dollars to furnish the new library, the April production of "The House of Rimmon" climaxed the fiftieth year of Elizabethtown college which opened its anniversary by conferring the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Gov. James H. Duff at the fall convocation. The Golden Anniversary has been a year which has seen many activi-

ties worthy of this jubilee.

Dr. A. C. Baugher not only received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Farnklin and Mar- Dr. Rufus Bowman and Dr. Burton shall college, Lancaster, but also Metzler during Bible Institute be was honored by being initiated into forgotten. the Theta chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa of F. & M.

Among the prominent personalities who visited the campus will be remembered the Ambassadors of Song, who sang their way into the hearts of the student body; John C. Metcalf, foreign affairs analyst who expertly "spotlighted" inside Washington; and English pianist Katherine Bacon, whose playing of the great masters inspired all music

Nor will the challenge to follow in the Master's steps presented by

Meanwhile student activities kept pace from the very first day when the frosh donned their dinks until the last senior gratefully clasped his diploma in his hand.

They ranged from musical activities culminating in the oratorio "The Holy City" to the Sock and Buskin spring production, "Our Live Are Now"; from the sending of the first E-town college team to the Penn Relays to the crowning of the Queen of the May.

Surpassing all other activities, however, was the revision of the student government constitution, which became effective in April. Vigorous campaigns marked the elections as the new document was first put into practice.

Spurred on by the spirit of this fiftieth year, Elizabethtown college looks with firm hope to a bright and promising future.



## The Mid-century May Queen With Her Court

Left to right are Donnadale Smucker, Romaine Burdick, Nancy Mathias, Betty Ann Hammers, Joan Martin, maid of honor; Maxine Bowman being crowned by Beulah Barnthouse; Doris Kopp partially hidden by Miss Barnthouse; Ardyce Trout, Patricia Boggs, Margaret Bose, Tommy Espenshade, crown bearer; Suzanne Eshelman and Connie Hellerich, flower girls.

## 'Dobbins' Far Cry From Modern Autos

By Al Seldomridge

"Couldn't make classes yesterday, John. Ol' Dobbin took sick on me," week in addition to their courses in might have been the cry of a day transport himself to the college.

Dobbin and the "surrey with the fringe on top" to the sleek "4-holed" Riviera model of the modern Buick exemplify the change in types of H. Beahm's buggy on the roof of the cry within the coming fifty

of three local railroads having to spark plusg, etc. change trains at least one or two times. For transportation from station to college, the 1910 college catalog announced to incoming students that "C. L. Pierce, liveryman, has kindly promised to transport any student 50 years ago as he sought to baggage and passengers between depot and college. . .

The common prank in the "good old days" for the spirited college the wagon shed, whereas today, the years.

A half century ago, resident stu- same spirit may prompt current dents came to Elizabethtown on one collegians to deflate tires, loosen

> After the buggy and surrey came the trolley. Now many of our students have their own cars or jallopies and often travel as far as 700 miles to attend a conference.

Surreys, trolleys, automobiles what next? "Couldn't make it to class yesterday, John; Broke a revolving blade on my new atommen was to "park" President I. N. powered helicopter," might well be

#### Catalogues Reveal Curriculum Growth

The first annual catalogue of Elizabethtown college, published in 1900, is a pamphlet of exactly sixteen pages.

But that comparatively small number contains the foundation on which courses were built, expanded and added for the next fifty years.

This initial catalogue shows an academic department, Bible department, provisions for commercial work and contemplation of an agricultural department.

Along with courses related directly to farming—such as soils, farm animals and dairying-other studies included in the agricultural course were orthography, grammar, vocal music, civil government, letter writing and astronomy.

Commercial courses were designed so the average student would complete work in from three to six months.

The four courses offered under the academic department are termed teachers, literature, scientific and classical.

Also in the earlier days, courses in Greek, latin and penmanship were offered.

Four years later a two year course in agriculture became a part of the curriculum.

The current catalogue lists almost 200 offerings including summer and evening courses.

#### Elizabethtown College Yesterday - Today - Tomorrow

Elizabethtown College was born at the beginning of the Twentieth Century. Her background is in the past, but her face is turned toward the future. Her budget for the first year was a mere pittance, but in 1948-1949 it was in excess of a quarter million dollars. Her plant has grown from one building located on a one-acre campus in 1900, to nine buildings on a beautiful campus of fifty acres. The faculty has grown from one teacher to thirty-five full and part-time instructors for the coming year. The student body has grown from 5 in 1900 to a total of over 800 in 1949-1950 in all sessions, including regular and special students.

The first twenty years were devoted primarily to work on the secondary level, although a considerable number of students from 1910 to 1920 completed from one to two years of college work. The secondary work was discontinued in 1925-1926. A large majority of the students during the early years of the college entered the teaching profession and the field of business.

The total number of students who attended Elizabethtown College during this half century is in excess of 11,000. The number of men and of women enrolled has been about equal. Approximately 40% were members of the Church of the Brethren, the others represented a large number of denominations including Catholics and Jews. During this half century of educational work 194 teachers served on the faculty-122 men and 72 women.

The United States Congress recently passed a bill providing a sum of \$300,000,000.00 from which private church-related colleges can borrow, at 2.5% interest, for living accommodations for students and faculty. Such loans are to be amortized in 40 years. It may be possible for Elizabethtown college to take advantage of this government aid and provide new and more adequate dormitories, dining room facilities and faculty residences within the next several years.

We are confident that the immediate years ahead will witness continued growth. It is our hope that in the near future we will (a) build an addition to the Science building; (b) erect a field house for athletics; (c) convert the present gymnasium into an attractive auditorium with permanent seats where daily Chapel can be held for all students and faculty; (d) build at least one new dormitory for 100 women with a dining room, seating 400 students and an adequate kitchen, made available through government funds; (e) provide a student union room on the first floor of Memorial Hall by connecting the old gynasium and the store and storage rooms; (f) develop a beautiful quadrangle in the area in front of the new Library, the Science building, and between Fairview and Memorial halls; (g) secure endowment for more adequate salaries for faculty and other employees; (h) stabilize the student body at approximately 500.

This is my hope for Elizabethtown College. I am confident that all these goals are within reach during the next decade, and several of them within the next five years. In all her growth in the years ahead it is my hope that the Elizabethtown College will ever have the characteristics of a small, thorough, friendly college, where the principles of Christianity will inspire students and faculty to industry, thrift, transparent honesty; where Christian homes will have their beginning; where men and women will learn to dedicate themselves to sacrificial living for service in the Kingdom of God, and where the motto "Educate for Service" will always be held as the high water mark in Christian education.

> Sincerely yours, A. C. Baugher.



#### **College Presidents**

These eight men guided Elizabethtown College during the first

I. N. Beahm	George N. Falkenstei
1900 1901	1901 - 1903
1904 - 1909	
D. C. Reber	H. K. Ober
1903 - 1904	1918 - 1921
1909 - 1918	1924 - 1927
J. G. Meyer	TY TY 37
1921 - 1924	H. H. Nye
R. W. Schlosser	1929 - 1930
1927 - 1929	A. C. Baugher
1930 - 1941	1941 -

#### **College Milestones**

September 23, 1899—Charter received from the Court of Common

Pleas of Lancaster county. July 10, 1900 -Ground broken for Alpha hall.

November 13, 1900 —First classes held.

January 22, 1901 — First classes met in Alpha hall.

April 26, 1901 -Ownership of the college transferred to Eastern Penna. Church of the Brethren.

March 4, 1906 -Rider Memorial hall dedicated. July 6, 1907

-First summer session. October 30, 1917 -Southern Pennsylvania voted to share in the

ownership of the college. June 7, 1921 -Fairview apartments dedicated.

January 14, 1922 -Charter amended to grant degrees in arts, sciences, philosophy, literature and theology. June 8, 1922 —First degrees conferred.

February 1, 1928 -Gibble Memorial science building erected. April 16, 1928 College accredited for pre-legal education.

May 27, 1929 - Auditorium-gymnasium dedicated.

January 16, 1936 -College admitted to membership in the As-

sociation of American Colleges. December 11, 1936 - Admission to the Association of Collegiate Registrars and the Association of College

Deans and Advisors of Men. June 18, 1943 -Charter amended increasing the number of

trustees from 12 to 24. May 5, 1948 - Accreditation by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

June 15, 1948 -Elected to membership in the American Council on Education. March 18, 1949 -Approval by the Department of Education

of New York State.

April 19, 1949 -Ground broken for library building. November 15, 1949 —Elected to full membership in the Middle Atlantic States collegiate athletic conference. Alumni News

Looking back to the half-way mark in our college history, we see that members of the class of 1925 have maintained the principles of Elizabethtown college and are in responsible positions in their com-

Melvin Shisler, 729 Mt. Vernon street, Lansdale, Pa., is the assistant principal of the Lansdale high school.

Minnie Myers, Dean Mills apartments, Lancaster R. D. 3, is doing office work in Lancaster.

Daniel Myers, York R. D. 3, is teaching mathematics in the Red Lion high school.

Ella S. Heistand, 472 West High street, Elizabethtown, is teaching sixth grade in the Elizabethtown

Raymond Boyd Heisey, Elizabethtown R. D. 2, is teaching in Mt. Joy township.

Vera Hackman is dean of women at Elizabethtown college and teaches English and journalism.

Ralph Frey, 36 Washington street, Elizabethtown, is head of the parts department of Garber's garage in Elizabethtown.

Francis H. Barr, 512 Eleventh street, Nampa, Idaho, is pastor of the Church of the Brethren in Nampa. His wife is the former Rebecca McKonley.

Twenty-five Years Ahead

Among those students who will probably attend Elizabethtown college during the next twenty-five years are Lucille C. Keeny, daughter of Eli S. Keeney, '27, 215 Fifth avenue, Burnham, Pa.; Vicky Ruth Burris, daughter of Ruth Buffenmyer Burris, x'32, Bunkertown, Pa.; and Barbara Anna and Alice Allegra Tennis, daughters of Esther Leister Tennis, '27, McAllisterville, Pa.

The class of 1971 will be sure to welcome into their ranks Cynthia Deen Cleck, daughter of Dorothy Lauver Cleck, x'44, Mifflin, Pa.; Kathleen Elizabeth Musser, daughter of Ralph, '49, and Virginia Raffensperger Musser, x'51, 1029 Walnut street, Columbia, Pa.: the son of Donald, x'50, and Phyllis Druck Bohrer, '49, 150 Beaver street, Hallam, Pa., and Stuart Alan Cohen, son of Rita Sussman Cohen, '49, 12-21 Bellair avenue, Fairlawn, N. J.

In the News Recently

Alumni who have been in the news recently include Anna Mae Eby, '24, Mt. Joy R. D. 1, who was elected chairman of the Girl Scout Neighborhood in

Clark McSparren, x'28, 405 West James street, Lancaster, was elected president of the Reynolds school Parent-Teacher Association.

Martha Martin, '24, who taught Biblical courses at Elizabethtown college for the past twenty-six years was honored recently at a meeting of the Lancaster county chapter of the Alumni association.

Mary Brubaker, '47, Grantham, Pa., is teaching in the New Cumberland high school.

Rev. Mark Ebersole, '43, 99 Claremont avenue, New York City 27, N. Y., has been appointed tutorial assistant in the Department of Church and Community at the Union Theological seminary, New York. His wife is the former Dorothy Baugher, '43.

Mrs. Luella Rowland, '06, who has been teaching business courses in Elizabethtown college was honored by the Lebanon Valley chapter of the Alumni association at a recent meeting.

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#### The Message of the Windows

Two stained-glass windows. Underneath the simple inscription states: Presented by the class of 1931. No amazing beauty of colors is there, no breath-taking grandeur of the great cathedral. Two, perhaps often unobserved, stained-glass windows, which breathe the living spirit of a college.

Twice every week students of Elizabethtown college walk briskly or trudge wearily, whichever the case may be, up the steps of Memorial hall to their places in the chapel.

Some listen attentively while others catch those 40 some hundred winks they missed the night before. The speaker may be excellent and the music may be unexcellent, or vice-versa. Perhaps both are good-or also vice-versa.

Whatever the case, in a matter of weeks, perhaps minutes for some, both speaker and music are forgotten.

But, as the student gazes frontward there are, behind the speaker and the music, two pictures which silently tell a message that cannot help deeply affecting the life of the student—if he will listen.

In the center of each of the sained-glass windows is a picture. On the left is portrayed a brilliant star shining out of the night upon a housetop. The word "Bethlehem" is written below. On the right window there is pictured a distant hill with three crosses on it and a heavenly glory shining about them. "Calvary" is inscribed below.

Light is the theme of both, the star of Bethlehem, the glory of Calvary. As to colleges all over the country, students come to Elizabethtown college the threshold to a future of ever-widening service.

seeking for light. Elizabethtown college would present to them that Light which makes all things plain the Light of the world.

These pictures present another significance. Bethlehem was the beginning of a Life. Calvary was the victorious consummation. In between was a Life of love and service. The whole Life of Christ with all its deep meaning comes to mind as one medidates on these windows.

Chapel programs have come and gone and will continue to come and go, but these two little windows remain to inspire earnest students with the light and life of Him who was born in Bethlehem and who gave His all on Calvary.

#### From the Etownian Staff

The Etownian staff presents this special edition of the student publication as its contribution to the celebration of the Golden Jubilee of Elizabethtown col-

To include all the accomplishments of the last 50 years would be impossible, but an attempt has been made to include the more significant achievements.

It is hoped that these years of progress will be but

#### **Students Brought Assorted Articles** For Weeks of Special Bible Terms

vised President D. C. Reber in 1914. "Bring the Brethren hymnal, a Bible, . . . towel, soap and a woolen blanket, if the weather is cold." These were last minute instructions for students enrolling in the special Bible term.

From 1901 until 1919, when the term was replaced by the present week of Spiritual Emphasis, people came from far and near to study great Bible themes and to have fellowship together. Many older people still recall the "soul lifting occasions." For small fees students lived at the college or in rooms downtown. The period of study varied from three weeks in the first years to seven days in 1917-18. Sessions usually began in January.

Enrollment in 1902 jumped to 175. Audiences became so large that the college chapel was too small and "services were held in the town church." Seven applicants applied for baptism as a result of the powerful preaching.

The College Times of 1905 records 332 enrolled that year. Many peo-

#### 1928 Sees Changes In Sports Program

By William Helm

A great change took place in the life of the college students in the fall of 1928. Prior to that time, all the sports of the school had been on an intramural basis.

The first intercollegiate sports event in which E-town college participated was a basketball game with Millersville. The "Phantoms" won the game by a 27-22 score. Some of the players were: Warren Angstadt, Henny Blough, Sam Zarfoss and Clyde and Earl Wenger.

Basketball progressed rapidly from a twelve game season to the present schedule of twenty-two or twenty-four games. The best basketball season record compiled was tiful panorama. And, "as it dies the 1948-49 tally of 17 wins against

The game found many stars at E-town. Among them were Frank Keath, whose 564 points in his junior year set a new state scoring record; Guy Buch, whose 23.7 points per game average for a season was also the top average in the country in 1944-45. These two men also racked up 42 points for the individual high in one game.

Many players were mentioned in all-state recognition polls, including Stan Disney, Guy Buch, Wib Raffensperger, Ross Coulson, Norm Baugher, James Linton, Roy Rudisill, Porky Leicht and numerous others. Frank Keath made first allstate team, and Guy Buch made the second during their college daye.

The women's teams, too, have much to be proud of. Usually their mark for any campaign showed more-wins-than-losses. Their-longest streak was ended in the fall of 1936 after they had won 32 stranght contests. In 1947-48 they were also undefeated, having won 14 and tied

The girls produced such top-notch stars as Martha Groff, Annette Mummau, Irma Bell, Mary Jane Strite, and LaRue Monn. guards included Pat Mahan, Currey and Glassmire, and this list of players doesn't even include the many other outstanding courtsters.

same time as basketball. The best son of 1939-40 was probably the streak in intercollegiate competition best, and on the team were Wib was recorded over a two-year span Raffensperger, Manbeck Gerhart and ending in the spring of 1937, when Stauffer.

"On arriving at the depot take | ple who attended became regular Witmer's hack for the College," ad- students. Those who could not attend the full term came for a few days. The words of the catalogue seem to re-echo the sentiment of the time "No one who wishes more power for Christ can afford to miss such an opportunity.'

Students at the college were affected too. In 1905 College Times noted that "six promising young people came out on the Lord's side." A writer for the paper in 1914 said, "There was a spirit for more consecration in the hearts of many, especially among those of the student

Typical subjects for study were "Doctrines of the New Testament," and "Training the Sunday School Teacher." The 1914 program lists special educational, temperance and ministerial sessions.

With the changing of the college schedule in 1919 the special Bible term gave way to the present Bible Institute.

#### ALPHA HALL

(Continued from Page 1)

Even the depression couldn't dampen the spirit of progress of our Alma Mater for in 1929, the year of the stock market crash, the Student-Alumni gymnasium was erected to enhance the athletic program.

As World War II closed Elizabethtown college opened its arms and became a melting pot for hundreds of G.I.'s. Their dormitory needs were met in the building of North and South halls. At the same time the business education program was enlarged and a business building was located south of Alpha hall.

The new college library dedicated this year is an indication that in the future as in the past the lights of progress will burn brightly.

Our campus beauty is indescribable. From the dell on west campus to picturesque Lake Placida, the dogwoods, the shrubbery, the acres of green grass all blend into a beauinto the sunset glow" we take our leave of Elizabethtown college.

#### Rigid Rules Mark Vogue of 1910-1920

Maybe the boarding students of 1950 think that they have a rough time but . . . way back in the early teachers and strict regulations were the vogue.

Before Fairview was built in 1920 all the women students roomed in Alpha hall, the men upperclassmen in a partitioned section of Alpha, and the underclassmen in Memorial hall. Each hall had a "hall teacher," a glorified proctor, often a faculty member, who ruled with an

When the girls left campus for some special event they were chaperoned, and every mixed date was chaperoned by either a senior girl or a woman faculty member.

Regulations were rigid and 'nights out" were a thing to dream about, but "lights out" occurred for all students at 10 o'clock each evening. And how would the men students of today appreciate signing in and out as the men of 1910-20 did?

But the picture isn't as dark as it seems for college students are an ingenious lot and regulations are flexible. The greatest elasticity seems to have been in the chaperone ruling which allowed one chaperone to supervise as many as three or four cars when attending a program out of town. How could one person watch six or eight romantically inclined couples?

Outings and picnics occupied some weekends for the classes of old and because few students commuted the participation in these events was spirited.

Even the dorms, wallpapered, carpeted and repaired by the students, were a source of enjoyment when the doorknobs of opposite rooms were tied together.

If you think that wouldn't get a bit involved just try it and then knock on the doors. A little bit of slack on the rope will further complicate

Maybe no one "borrowed" the tractor for a midnight excursion in the old days but though we gripe and complain, we, the students of 1950, have the advantage.



The 1949-50 Basketball Team Lines Up for a Picture.

20 victories were rolled up against only 2 setbacks. "Rudy" Rudisill was one of the top pitchers on this combine, and some of the stars to follow included Kurt Day, Wilbur, Gene Shirk and Don Delancy.

Soccer was approved by the administration in 1938, was discontinued at the start of the war, then Baseball was started about the started once more in 1947. The sea-

Tennis was started early in the sports history. Among the highlyrated stars of the game were Warren "Red" Angstadt, Harold Neuman, Norman Baugher, Porky Leicht, Frank Zink and Harold Fellenbaum. Four of these players were good enough to represent the school at the Eastern Inter-collegiate tournaments. The best line of wins was just ended this spring after the netsters had stroked out 19 wins in a row.

# New Library Features Fireplaces; Striking Color Combinations Used

Color and utility are the keynotes of the new library. When comdays of this college, chaperons, hall pleted the building will cost an estimated \$120,000.

The soft red brick of the story and a half Georgian Colonial building forms a marked contrast to the gleaming pediment of the main entrance, the many paned windows and the gray slate roof with its cupola and



The New Library Nears Completion.

weather vane.

Designed in the shape of an (L) the building will have a capacity of 45,000 volumes. At present the college collection numbers about 16,500

Inside the new library, the color schemes are even more striking. The entrance foyer, charging section, main reading room and hall downstairs are golden buff with panels of dusty red. Matching bulletin boards and recessed fire extinguishers are designed for utility as well as beauty. Ceilings throughout the building are soundproofed.

In a special charging area at the entrance to the main reading room will be the charging desk backed by shelves for reserve books. Next to the desk will be a new card cata-

#### Wide Club Expansion Marks College Growth

By Earl Ziegler

Club activities have expanded from limited campus functions in the early days to ICG conferences, UN Model assemblies, state conventions and producing plays written by college students themselves.

From deep sea fishing to presentation of Shakespeare's "As You Like It," clubs have a positive effect on a college education as is shown by the need for two new organizations-the Government and the International Relations clubs.

osed of one hundred and two members. This chapter, organized two years ago, has delegated powers book stacks installed by Remingfrom the state convention.

"Should the U.S. enter the World Court?" was the subject of the first intercollegiate debate against Ursinus in 1924 by the Debating Society composed of separate men's and women's teams. An offspring of the Homerian and Keystone Literary the strange tongue twisters in the Societies, the debating club is a member of the Benjamin Franklin Debating conferences and the Debating Association of Pennsylvania colleges. This year it produced not 1934. only the best record but also the largest number of debates, 67, with 31 wins, 19 loses and 17 no decisions.

"Dewey, Truman or Thomas" was the subject of hot discussion when the Social Science club, conducted a mock election for the president of the United States in 1948.

The annual fishing trips of the Science club, the IBM demonstrations to the Comerciantes club and logue and across the room a comfortable built-in seat.

The most striking feature of the main reading room is a browsing corner with its beautiful black marble fireplace paneled to the ceiling in knotty white pine. Comfortable chairs will be placed here close by the current periodical and newspaper racks. Knotty pine bookcases for reference books and six library tables seating 72 persons will complete the equipment of the reading

Also on the first floor are the workroom painted in two shades of green with buff tile floors and the librarian's office done in a deep gray.

Major rooms on the ground level are the projection room, classroom, faculty lounge and Brethren historical room.

The classroom with its primrose yellow walls, soft red bulletin boards and red tile floor will have a seating capacity of 75 persons and will be used for Visual Education purposes.

Beyond the projection room is the green and buff faculty lounge which is dominated by a fireplace of Maryland stone. Faculty meetings and conferences will be held here.

In the opposite wing is the Brethren historical room with its gray and red color scheme. Here will be placed books connected with Church of the Brethren history and other related volumes. Some of the rare volumes such as the "Saur" Bibles will be preserved in the libra-The largest club, the FTA, is com- ry vault built to house college valuables.

> Not to be forgotten are the steel ton-Rand. Built on three floor levels with connecting stairways the stacks will provide ample room for expansion. Each level is seven feet: high with shelves designed to make book geeting an easy matter.

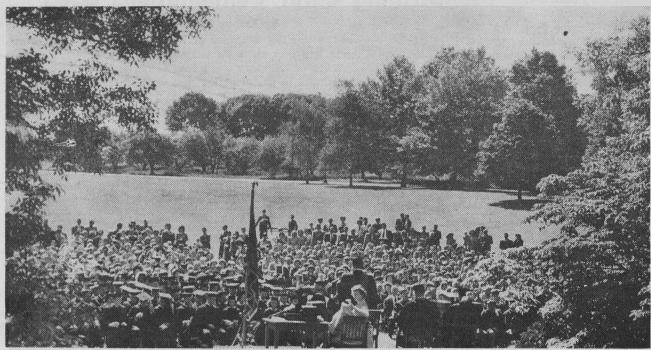
French and German clubs add to campus life. The German club will be remembered for its production of "Wilhelm Tell" by Schiller in

The Sock and Buskin club which produces an annual play climaxed its twentieth year by dramatizing the play "Our Lives Are Now" written by one of its members.

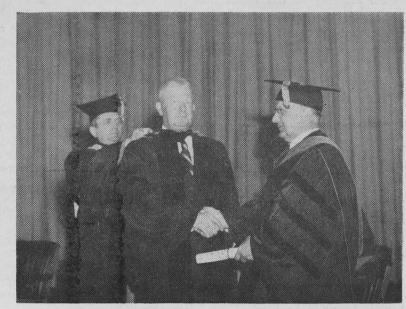
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# Camera View of Campus Life



1949 COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES in the dell on West Campus. Dr. Howard Moody Morgan addressed the 102 graduates on "Unshaken Foundations."



GOVERNOR JAMES DUFF receives a Doctor of Laws degree at the Fall convocation services held September 23, 1949, in the auditorium-gymnasium. The Governor is being congratulated by Pres. A. C. Baugher while Dean H. G. Bucher adjusts the academic hood.



"FRANKIE" KEATH, Elizabethtown's all-star cager, piled up 1,872 points in four years for an all-time state high.

The broad activities as pictured on this page exemplify the growth of Elizabethtown college during her first fifty years. Illustrated also is the spirit of cooperation between faculty and students that was climaxed this year with a faculty-student play. The proceeds from the production will help to purchase furniture for the new library—in itself a symbol of progress.





AFTER THE NINTH LIFE! Cat anatomy students explore the mysteries of the feline. Those shown are: William Landis, Marshall House, Maurice Stahler and Charles Wells. House, Maurice Stahler and Charles Wells. In nearby laboratories potential chemists, laboratory technicians and physicists conduct experiments within their respective fields.

Wigs, beards and colorful costumes adorn 17 students and 8 faculty members in the Biblical drama, "HOUSE OF RIMMON."

In the background stands the maid of Israel with Naaman, the healed leper.

Dr. R. W. Schlosser, director of the play, is standing on the right.



#### **Senior Placements High in Teaching;** Many to Begin Graduate Studies

Seminaries, medical schools, graduate work and the teaching profession will find a number of this year's graduates in their ranks.

Those going to seminaries are: Mervin Hess, Princeton; Warren Kissinger, Yale; and Arthur Bowser,

Bethany Biblical seminary will admit: Clyde Weaver, Joseph Long, Robert Hess and Robert Stehman.

In graduate work, Gerald Weaver will enter the Philadelphia Osteopathic hospital.

Edward Cook expects to do graduate work in chemistry at Penn State. He will also serve as a graduate

Neal Holabaugh will attend the University of Chicago to prepare for social service work; while Donald Hivner and Ira Floyd will be graduate students at Temple and the University of Pennsylvania, respec-

Eight seniors who have already secured teaching positions are: Joan Martin, Hershey kindergarten; Janice Anderson, York city schools; LaRue Monn, West Lampeter; and Gretchen Sherman, Hollidaysburg school-all in the elementary field.

Secondary teachers will be: Donald Leonhard, Marietta; John Berger, East Hempfield; Matthew Meyer, West Lebanon; and Galen Fahnestock, East Lampeter.

#### Dr. Heningburg To Teach Course

Dr. Alphonse Heningburg will teach a social science institute, The Church and Race Relations, June 19-30.

This is one of the courses which the administration has designed to encourage the study of contemporary problems under the direction of nationally recognized leaders.

Since February 1949, Doctor Heningburg has been the Secretary of Meckley. the Department of Welfare, New York city. Doctor Heningburg has received his Ph.D. from New York ald Campbell, Robert Harlin, Giluniversity.

#### Sept. 18 Opening Date For the New Library

"The new library will be ready for use when the fall term begins September 18," stated Miss Alice Sylvester, librarian, in an interview

Miss Sylvester said that most of the 16,500 books in the present library will be moved to the new building during post session.

"Some of the reference books which will not be needed by the students can be moved sooner," the librarian commented.

#### Bethany Extension School Meets Here

The Bethany Summer Extension school, under the leadership of the Board of Christian Education of the Church of the Brethren, will begin July 31 and continue through August 12 on campus.

Courses will be given in "World Movements of Christianity" and "The Holy Spirit and the Church" by Dr. William M. Beahm, dean of Bethany Biblical seminary. Dr. Robert F. Eshleman, of the Elizabethtown college faculty, will teach courses in "The Church and the Rural Community" and "The Christian Family."

Ministers, their wives and other interested persons of the Eastern Region of the Church of the Brethren are invited to attend.

#### Alumni Elect New **Association Officers**

Elmer Eshelman, '24, Elizabethtown, was elected president of the Alumni Association.

Other officers elected on the same ballot were: Anna Carper, '41, Palmyra, vice-president; Horace Raffensperger, '25, Elizabeth town, alumni trustee for three years; Olive Jamison, '34, McAlisterville, and James Linton, '38, Sharon Hill, Council member for three years.

At the meeting of the Alumni Council, Henry Hackman, Manheim, chairman of the Alumni memorial committee, announced gifts of \$2,200 during 1949 to the gymnasium fund.

Dr. Nevin C. Harner spoke at the alumni banquet held in the auditorium-gymnasium.

Wilbur I. Beahm, '29, was the presiding officer and Melvin F. Shisler, 25, was toastmaster.

#### Class Officers Complete List of Student Leaders

The list of student leaders for the 1950-51 term was completed with the selection of the committees on Men's and Women's affairs and with the election of individual class offi-

Members of the committee on Women's affairs are Doris Kopp, Barbara, Nelson, Joyce Foley, Shirley Warner, Mary Hess and Carole

Serving on the committee on Men's affairs are Harold Geib, Donbert Young, Julius Belser and Kenneth Weaver.

Heading the class of 1951 is Robert Trimmer, president; Earl Ziegler, vice-president; Margaret Bose, secretary and Stanley Hoover, treas-

Presiding over the class of 1952 is James Meminger, president; Albert Seldomridge, vice-president; Bernice Gibble, secretary and William Foster, treasurer.

Sophomores will have the following officers: C. Frederick Horbach, president; Fredrik Malmborg, vicepresident; Shirley Warner, secretary and Ellis Shenk, treasurer.

#### **Faculty Roam East and West**

Mountains, parks, and the 'open road' attract members of the faculty on Summer vacation.

When not at college Prof. David Albright and Prof. Galen Kilhefner will be working in summer camps. Prof. and Mrs. E. G. Meyer will be vacationing in the Great Smokies. Dr. Charles and Dr. Bessie Apgar plan to tour the West, especially the national parks.

Dean Vera Hackman will study at Columbia university and Dean Joseph Dodd at New York university. Prof. Heilman will attend the Conference of Mathematicians at Harvard university.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Schlosser will tour New England and parts of Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Herr are also planning to visit Canada this summer.

#### Roddy, New Editor, Selects 1950 Staff

Gwendolyn Roddy, editor of the 1951 Etownian announces staff ap-

Serving as assistant editor will be John Dean, Jr. The position of news editor goes to Celia Miller. Jack Kline becomes the sport editor. David Newcomer is the new business manager and Walton Moyer the new circulation manager.

Completing the Etownian staff are the members of the new journalism class and the following students from last year's class: Ben Ebersole, Carl Kaufman, Hugh Manifold, Al Seldomridge, Armon Snowden, Vivian Snyder and Earl Ziegler.

#### **Snyder and Hammers** Head '51 Etonian

Next year's Etonian will be headed by Vivian Snyder, editor and Robert Hammers, business manager, who were elected according to the provisions of the new constitution.

The '51 Etonian will be a publication of the student association instead of a senior class project. Twothirds of the staff, which will be appointed next year, will be taken

# **Graduating Class on 'Axioms of Security Academic Awards Made**

Dr. F. P. Corson Addresses Largest

Pres. A. C. Baugher presented five students with academic awards for outstanding achievement in their respective fields during the 48th Commencement exer-

By Pres. A. C. Baugher

The Royer Bible prize was won by Arthur Bowser who achieved the highest grade in Bible during the

Gerald Weaver earned the Weaver Biology award for his demonstration of high scholarship in biology.

The Butterbaugh Chemistry prize was awarded to Karl K. Kolva for his outstanding work in his major field of science.

Edgar Bitting won the Kettering Accounting prize for his achievement in accounting.

The Raffensperger Journalism prize for outstanding journalistic writing was awarded to Gwendolyn Roddy for her superior news reporting and feature articles during the current year.

The awards were established by patrons of the college interested in from the sophomore and junior the development of academic ability in the various fields.

'To make a sure foundation for a dependable world we must first recognize it to be an orderly, working, thinking, cooperating and moral world," stated Dr. Fred P. Corson in his address to the graduating class of Elizabethtown college at the annual Commencement exercises held in the auditorium-gymnasium on May 29 at 10 a.m.

Speaking on the subject, "The Axioms of Security," Dr. Corson compared the world to a delicate and high-powered machine. The parts may be perfect, but without a firm foundation, it will shake itself to pieces by its own operation.

"Think of yourselves, not as individuals, but as necessary parts of the world community," urged Dr.

In conclusion, he emphasized a sure foundation to be an understanding that underneath all of life are fundamental laws for receiving

Following his address, President A. C. Baugher conferred degrees upon the graduates, with William Davis, Edgar Bitting, and Velma Ellenberger earning honors cum

Dr. Harry H. Nye and Dr. N. Volney Ludwick received honorary degrees. Dr. Nye is a former president of Elizabethtown college. The citation for Dr. Ludwick was read by Dr. Troy M. Thompson, Elizabethtown.

The invocation was in charge of Miss Sara Shisler, '18, a missionary to Africa on furlough, and Rev. Nevin Zuck, '36, pronounced the benediction.

#### In Town Tony's Restaurant Provides Social Life for E-town Eds and Coeds

By Albert Seldomridge



Enjoying the atmosphere of Tony's are: L. to R.-Karl Kolva, Mary Lau, James Whitacre, Mary Greenawalt, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burdick and Joan kratz.

dining room in the establishment arguing how they would have just south of the square on Market street owned and managed by the one Anthony Tronio, better known to all as Tony.

"Cooler" because of the new super air-conditioner just inside the door, and "cool" because of the new 100 select-o-mat juke box which carries in its "repertoire" anything from Dixieland Blues to a fine Bavarian

Among the students, Tony's is more popular at night. It is a good place to go to socialize, to snack and to relieve study pressure.

new dress. On the other side, a few restful hours until dawn.

"Cool," yet cooler is the modern group of north hall "raiders" are Bucher, business manager. played that hot grounder in the baseball game today, while in an undertone, a couple of "romanticists" decide their possibilities as a local "Miss America" enters the room. All Science building. this and more takes place just after

Before this, immediately after dinner, one looks out the restaurant window through the neon SPA-GHETTI (sign) and notices Frank Witman's daily "coffee run" pull up, and not more than ten people "emerge" from the interior of his blue '40 Plymouth.

After eleven, things quiet down at Tony's and only a few "strag-Just now, for example, in the next | glers" of the swing-shift troops apbooth Mary Envy is "meowing" to pear at intervals until Tony locks

## Six Girls Receive Their Certificates

Six girls were awarded certificates of completion by Dr. A. C. Baugher during the Forty-eighth Commencement exercises.

Theresa Jane Mohler received a certificate in Medical Secretarial Science; Ellen Anderson and Helen Louise Hicks received Secretarial Science certificates and Lois M. Erb, Sara Louise Reddig and Bernice L. Zercher were awarded certificates in Laboratory Technology.

Dean Bucher presented the candidates to President Baugher. The certificates are awarded to persons completing the requirements of the two-year courses.

#### **Large Campus Area** To Be Relandscaped

"Operation landscape" is scheduled to begin on campus in the next few weeks according to K. Ezra-

This major face lifting project. will take an estimated six weeks: and will include the area lying between the new library, Memorial hall, Fairview apartments and the

Much of the low lying land will the first feature has ended at the be filled and a more adequate drainage system will be provided. Since the ground level around the Science building is affected all of the present shrubbery will be removed and new walks will replace those covered by the grading process.

Another feature of the landscaping plan is a new parking lot to be located east of Fairview apartments. Shrubbery will be planted appropriately throughout the entire area.

The project will be completed sometime next fall when the grove her girl friend about Jean Coed's his doors at one or two a.m. for a opposite Alpha hall is thinned and the graded area is seeded.

#### **Upon Leaving Elizabethtown College**

The time has come when I shall leave Elizabethtown. This is the moment at which I may say some words of thanks, more expressly and with less fear of being obtrusive than at any time.

It would not be just to be thankful only for the "opportunity" which was given to me, although this is perhaps the most embracing single word for the things I have to be thankful for. Opportunity means only opening the door into a realm in which there are many useful and beautiful things which did not exist outside; we need merely to walk in. But the word does not say anything about the good that is done to us expressly, intensely and in addition to what anyone else may enjoy therein. It is about these things that I want to say something. I hope that the other things, or in general, the fact that I have been very happy throughout the time, has become quite clear to all anyway.

(1) I have learned to disregard nationalism to an extent which, I am sure, will make me a stranger among many of my German friends when I return. I am no less a German now than I was when I came to this country, but in addition to it I hope to be much more. I shall—as anyone else—serve my country best if I try to be more than just a good German; or as Camus, a modern French writer puts it: I love my country too much to be a nationalist.

I have learned this, not only because I wanted to learn it, but because people in this country and especially in this institution have helped me to learn it—through their own attitude.

(2) I have learned something about democracy. That it is the most difficult type of government and the most difficult way of life has only sanctioned my growing understanding-that it is the highest form of human organization. It places man in the center of responsibility. In it we recognize that we cannot make a single decision without touching other people. I naturally have realized these things all the more in cases where the decisions I had made for myself conflicted with those of others and where there was no common authority to pass judgment upon them. In such moments I seemed to grasp more about democracy than I could have learned from any book or any teacher-that it leaves us to constantly work out the struggle between our ardent and often unknowingly self-righteous convictions and the respect—as a Christian I would simply say "love"-for our fellowman. It is a constant ethical conflict, the incessant competition between our selfassertion and the desire to appreciate and develop the position of the other individual. Faith in mankind is an indispensable pre-condition to this. There has probably never been a simpler and more profound formulation of this principle than in Kant's imperative: "Act in such a way that you use the human nature both in your own person and in everyone else's always as an end, never as a means."

But who can claim that he has ever learned enough about this!

And there is something more—we must never let ourselves become blunted. We are democratic and are living truly when we experience the conflicts more profoundly. Albert Schweitzer says that "the good conscience is an invention of the devil." How can we afford it in a real democracy? We have either done too little or too much, and we must feel this as a constant challenge. Not the compromise is essential, but the **right** compromise.

(3) I have been confronted with the way of life of the Brethren. Especially one of their contributions to the thought and behavior of man has challenged me most deeply—pacifism. I received more than just information about the principles and details of this idea; I found myself in an atmosphere where my own thoughts about this problem could grow freely to become a part of my very philosophy of life and was encouraged to test these ideas in talks with both confirmed pacifists and their persistent opponents.

These three points are only examples of many more things which I was allowed or instigated to learn while staying at Elizabethtown. In the end, it is these things and the great wealth of experiences that I shall take home and which, I know, are wanted so much by many of my German friends.

The freedom which was mine to criticize, is also my freedom to give unreserved thanks and honor to this country and the people to whom I owe this opportunity. I beg that my gratitude should not be taken less seriously than my concerns.

-Hartmut von Hentig.



"Surely there must be some other way of keeping him quiet"

#### NATURE'S HOME

In far off fields where lies the grain;
O'er gently rolling hill and plain;
In you distant windswept skies,
I see vast nature's home.

Upon majestic crags and peaks
O'er laid with white, as summit meets
The vastness of the blue;
Enchanting nature views her home.

Leave off the distant cries of man;
The ages alone can understand.
They in time will only tell,
What lies beyond vast nature's home!
—James Whitacre

What is weak, what is wrong,
What is right, what is strong,
What is vital, what is true,
What is it I believe I do?
—Paul B. Sensenig.

#### ON DEPARTING

Oh let us stay for one more day, In these tall storied halls; Just one more day to wend our way, To classes my mind recalls.

Just one more talk along the walk

To the dogwood in the dell;

Where in the spring, birds on the wing,

Matching notes their songs do tell.

Just let me take but one more skate, When January's wind is cold; By campfire bright—to skate by night, With darkness—a novice made bold.

Let's go at last, as days in the past,
To the Chapel for a short sweet hour,
At the end of the day let's quietly pray,
Our minds to renew with His power.

Alas! We are through; we bid adieu, Farewell! Our work is done; Our hearts do yearn, as we slowly turn, To the West and the evening sun!

-James Whitacre

#### **An Open Letter**

Dear staff members of the Etownian:

There is much more in thanking the members of a newspaper staff for their work during the year than the printed word can express.

The staff of this year's Etownian was the largest in the paper's history and during the past months members of the group have learned much about journalistic writing and technique. They also learned that a spirit of cooperation, interest and loyalty make a newspaper an instrument more streamlined to serve its purposes.

Individual mention must be made of Arthur Bowser, assistant editor, Gwendolyn Roddy, news editor and the editor for the coming year and John Dean, assistant news editor, for their fine team work on the May and special Fiftieth Anniversary editions of the Etownian during my absence.

With all best wishes to the members of the journalism class, my assistants and advisers, I remain

Sincerely, Carl Liggio.

#### Did You Know That . . .

.... Fred Gantz will continue his studies at Mt. Airy Lutheran Seminary in Philadelphia.

. . . . Two students intend submitting a bid to do the photography work for next year's yearbook.

.... Stanley Dietrich has been accepted by the University of Pittsburgh graduate school of chemistry.

"Red Shoes" in Elizabethtown stunned many people who realized that the motion picture gem was in its second year on Broadway, on a reserved seat, \$2.40 top, two showings daily, policy.

... Many of Memorial hall's men fear that lack of usage will have a great effect upon the newly-learned vocabulary introduced on campus by Danny Whitacre. "Hob, yes!"

.... The girls in Fairview managed to "pulloff" two surprise parties in one week. The first one was for Charmaine Fickes' birthday, the second was a shower for Joanna Wilson.

has annoyed students as much as the postman.

.... Rain canceled plans for having commencement in the west dell. The exercises took place in the auditorium.

... Harold Ebersole is working in the freight office of the Reading railroad during the summer.

.... The Library Guild which sponsored a wonderful program of films, will not continue the project due to lack of interest by the students.

.... Some reference books have already been moved into the new library.

The sand quarry

.... The sand quarry swimming hole has been drained to prevent accidents now that public school is out.

#### With Our Eds and Coeds

Maxine Bowman and Glenn Carper Zug were married June 11 in the King Ferry, N. Y., Church of the Brethren.

Nancy Sheaffer is working at Ocean Grove, New Jersey during the summer waiting on tables.

Sally Bretz managed to get her car stuck in backroad mud. She had to call out the men from North Hall to pull her out.

Charmar Hershey is working at the Hershey Amusement Park selling ". . . . Klein's chocolate bars."

Gwendolyn Roddy recently visted friends in Brooklyn, New York, before journeying to Maryland.

Andre Yon, Hugh Manifold and Jack Herr are working on a private estate planting and cutting trees.

Robert Allison, Ziegler Heilman, and Alan Whitacre are attendants at the Elgin, Illinois Mental Hospital.

Levi and Carlos Ziegler and Clyde Weaver are located in a South Carolina mental hospital.

Theresa Mohler and John Henry Herr will be married on Sunday in the Mountville Church of the Brethren.

Walton Moyer will be working as a counselor at a Boy Scout Camp Delmont, Sumneytown, Pa.

Practice teaching at Hershay are the following seniors majoring in business: Clyde Brinser, Jack Frank, Leon Henise, Donald Krebs, Justine Lawver, Donald Leonard, Leroy Troupe. David Snavely will teach English; Edith Snyder, mathematics, and Richard Hoopes, science.

#### **Looking Ahead**

The fiftieth year of Elizabethtown college has come and gone. The last book has been laid away, the last suitcase packed and the last goodbye whispered.

For some it has seen the completion of their preparation for their chosen life. For the majority it has been a step nearer that goal. For all it has been a year of enrichening experience and growth.

Now the summer months have come. With them have come all the opportunities for building up resources for the year ahead.

Summer connotes various pictures. A cabin in the mountains, a crowded playground, a sailboat on the lake, a ferryboat ride, waves breaking rhythmically on the shore, crowded beaches, a lonely forest trail, hot subways filled with tired, working crowds—all are a part of "summer."

Whatever the connotation, however, the vacation months offer to each one mental diversion, physical stimulus and spiritual refreshment.

Whatever your chosen type of work or relaxation, there is a value in it for you—a value to be taken and made a vital part of you.

If you take advantage of your opportunities, you are sure to return to the campus in the fall with the spirit that looks ahead courageously to the year which will be the foundation for fifty more years of abiding growth.

#### **Mrs. Charles Rowland Looks Forward** To Change from Classroom to Kitchen

By Gwendolyn Roddy

It was a sunny May day on college hill and it was very easy to forget those 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. appointments, until I knocked on her apartment door. Surrounded by papers, Mrs. Charles Rowland was correcting the last final examinations that she would give at Elizabethtown college.

But, although it pulls the heart strings to leave the college of which she has been a part for 13 years, Mrs. Rowland is eagerly looking forward to "my life with my husband at Huntingdon." Charles L. Rowland is Professor of Music at Juniata college.

For now the Rowlands, who were married in August of 1949 in the little hill-top church near Newville, the Huntsdale Church of the Brethren, will have a home of their own -together. Trying to attend the important days of both colleges this year, they will be "satisfied to follow the events of only one."

Home, 301 18 street, Huntingdon, will now be the center of activities for the professor of business education who took a third summer session at Columbia university while studying for her M.A. because she "wanted to take the things that I wanted. I thought it was a crime to have to take only the things that were not interesting to me."

With hobbies ranging from china painting to collecting lace from various countries, Mrs. Rowland likes best to travel, garden, keep house Ben Ebersole Edits and talk to people.

The easy chair in which she has corrected hundreds of papers will likewise move from the study to the kitchen, "so I'll have a comfortable place to sit, stringing beans."

Having "always enjoyed teaching," Mrs. Rowland, nevertheless, is quite happy to leave that career for a more important one - making a home and "helping Charles with his work wherever I can."

#### Social Science Clubs **Announce Officers**

The social science clubs, International Relations and Government, with the purpose of preparing groups for the model UN and the ICG conferences, respectively, announce the following officers:

International Relations club president is Armon Snowden. Benjamin Ebersole is vice-president and Albert Seldomridge will serve as secretary-treasurer.

Officers for the Government club are president, Michael Donnelly; vice-president, Edward Smith; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Beatrice Cap-

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The new catalog was prepared to facilitate the registration of students. Requirements for all degrees are more plainly stated with preferred schedules presented more accurately.

Hereafter a foreign language will be an elective in business adminis

# Student Handbook

The 1950-51 student handbook, The Rudder, will be edited by a The Rudder, will be edited by a student committee headed by Ben Ebersole, Mervin Hess, president of Student Senate has announced.

Other members of the committee responsible for the compilation of the book are Gwendolyn Roddy, Donald Campbell, Elizabeth Frost, John Dean. John Dean.

The Rudder, which serves as a guide to newcomers on campus will The Rudder, which serves as a be mailed to freshmen before their arrival and upperclassmen will receive copies upon registration.

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#### The Club Corner

The Varsity "E" club constitution has been approved. In the words of its preamble the club exists "to promote athletic interests among the students and alumni, and to cooperate with the faculty athletic committee and the administration of this college."

Those students serving on the committee were William Schneider, Carl Martin, Earl Hess, Paul Boltz, A major change in the curriculum Doris Kopp, Donald Haverstick,

> Officers of the Varsity E club are: president, Carl Martin; vice-president, James Meminger; secretary, Shirley Warner; treasurer, William Foster.

Comerciantes officers are: president, Robert Hammers; vice-presithe new degree at Elizabethtown dent, Gerald Burdick; secretary, Kopp; treasurer, Donald Doris Campbell.

> The Sock and Buskin Club will be guided by: president, Barbara Nelson; vice-president, Pauline Nissley; secretary, Louise Bartenslager; treasurer, Ben Ebersole.

The French Club installed newly elected officers: Andre' Yon, president; Levi Ziegler, vice-president; Celia Miller, secretary, and Jack Hoerner, treasurer.

The Future Teachers of America elected the following officers: Israel Royer, president; William Kell, vicepresident; Dorothy Bomberger, secretary; Margaret Bose, treasurer, and Arlene Keeney, librarian.

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#### **President of Student Senate Notes Projects for New Government Body**

It is not unusual that when an administration changes it leaves some unfinished business to its successor. Sometimes it is the more important things that must be entrusted to others. These more important things are generally more controversial, complicated, or unfamiliar, and in all regards need careful consideration, favorable conditions, experimentation -in other words-they need time.

#### Dean's Honor List Includes 15 Students

The Dean's list at the end of the second semester includes:

Seniors: Edgar Bitting, Arthur Bowser, Ira Floyd, Mary Hess, Robert Hess, Joseph Long.

Juniors: Howard Wittel.

Sophomores: Theresa Mohler, James Obetz, Gwendolyn Roddy. Freshmen: Patricia Boggs, John Dean, Daniel Hoopert, Ellis Shenk. Special: Frederick Boyer.

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One of the questions that remained essentially unsolved when this year's student government handed its business to the next group is the question of cheating which was taken into consideration in January and discussed in senate meetings. Of course, there is no such thing as an outright "solution" to this problem, and we need not be particularly ashamed of our failure to do something about it. But this failure should not destroy our determination to think about new

The project upon which we had been working was a questionnaire which was intended: (1) to solicit student opinion about the reasons and conditions of cheating; (2) to gather proposals which might be submitted to the administration regarding a possible change of these conditions; and (3) to induce all of us to think more deeply about the problem and perhaps come to a greater awareness of our individual responsibility in the whole matter. This questionnaire which was worked out by a special committee -a very difficult job as anyone may readily see-did not seem to fulfill these aims. We even came to doubt whether a questionnaire as such, even the best one, could fulfill them. We refrained from distributing them because we felt too seriously about this point to take measures of which we were not fully convinced our-

Perhaps all those who have worked more closely on this program feel as I do, that it requires more than joint resolutions and planned or decreed reforms. At the beginning of such action must stand the conviction of each individual that it is his problem above all; that no matter what may be wrong in the system about him, he must defend himself against cheating in his own mind first. Such a decision is one of the major contributions we can make to the education of ourselves and of our fellowman.

We all need to think about this problem on the personal level and on the basis of such thought come to constructive action as soon as pos-

-J. Mervin Hess.

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#### Bluejays Win Over Towson Nine 4-3; **Matt Meyer Credited With the Win**

A two-run uprising in the bottom half of the last inning of the final game gave the Bluejays a 4-3 verdict over a visiting Towson nine.

The two runs came from Lefty Lehman's pinch single, a walk to Earl

4-0 record.

**North Hall Raiders** 

Packed with the tenseness of a

major league pennant race, the in-

tramural softball scramble, as it

moves into the final round of play,

finds the undefeated North Hall

Raider ten leading the pack with a

South Hall is firmly entrenched

in second place, a game and a half

out of first, with a 3-2 record. Both

losses were administered by the

The boys from Memorial, boasting

only of a win over the last-place Day

students, round out the top three

with a 1-3 slate. In the fourth place,

the "conquerors of nobody" to date,

Hampered by the lack of an ade-

quate playing field during the first

half, most games were marked by

loose fielding and rather good pitch-

ing. P. J. Boltz of the Raiders and

M. DeAngles of the Day student

outfit both turned in good early-

**SCM Cabinet Member** 

**Appointments Named** 

Appointments of the cabinet mem-

bers of the Student Christian Move-

ment for next year have been com-

pleted, according to Earl Ziegler,

The following students have been

chosen to serve in this capacity:

Benjamin Ebersole, Doris Fox, Earl

Moyer, Pauline Nissley, Nancy

Prof. Elmer Hoover will serve as

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season pitching performances.

we find the Day student team.

league-leading Raiders.

Hess, and an infield error on Bill Kell's ground ball. John Berger paced the attack with three safeties; Matt Meyer was credited with the Lead in Softball

The day before an identical score was recorded, this time by Shepherd. The visiting teachers pushed across the deciding run in the tenth as their pitcher, Chuck Patton, limited the Herrmen to five singles.

Juniata turned the trick earlier by a 3-1 count, but they had to be helped by 7 jay errors. The Herrmen could collect only 3 hits-2 of them by Carlos Ziegler.

The E-towners were also short of basehits in two previous contests. Four hits were recorded in each game for E-town as they fell to Ursinus 4-0 and Lebanon Valley 4-2, and Carl Martin had 3 of the 8 base

A three-run seventh inning wrapped the game up for the Bears. No E-town runners managed to reach third base.

The L. V. C. game was much the same, with the Herrmen unable to stage any real rally except in the seventh when two runs still fell

#### **Courtsters Close Out** Successful Season

The courtsters closed out a successful season with two wins in the last three matches.

The final match resulted in a 9-0 victory over Juniata as only two Jays were forced to go to 3 sets.

Previous to this the boys dropped a rugged 7-2 decision to Dickinson; only Jim Meminger and Harry Shuster could register any points for the Bluejays.

The Herrmen did take a good match from Susquehanna. The match was close at all times, and was not decided until the final doubles match was over.

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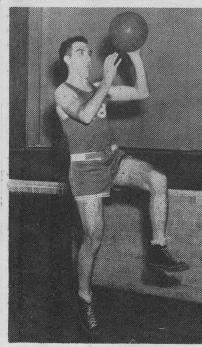
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# on 'Itch' Troupe

Now that graduation has rolled around a familiar figure will be missing on the Elizabethtown sporting scene next basketball season. Gone will be LeRoy "Itch" Troupe



Itch, while not always on the much to the success of Coach Herr's teams in recent years. As many championship outfits have proven, however, no team is stronger than its own bench. Itch, when not a starter, has bolstered the shocktroopers' ranks often.

Troupe is very popular with his teammates and on road trips was always a constant source of good humor and amusement.

A steady dependable guard and an ace defender, Itch's favorite shot

Hess, Christine Hewett, Grace Keeny, Helen Kreider, Walton tips the beams at 160, so you can see he doesn't exactly resemble George

Hailing from Ephrata, LeRoy plans to go into teaching, having majored in business administration. He would also like to coach his favorite sport, basketball, and we feel sure he will be a success just as he was as a mainstay for Etown's suc-

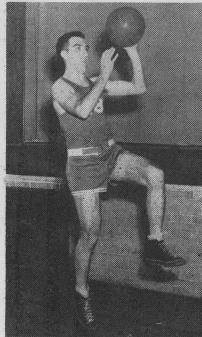
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#### Students' Vacation Plans Cover All U.S.; Some Travel, Work, Counsel at Camps

By a Roving Reporter

Summertime-what does it mean for you? Perhaps you're going to summer school; maybe you're going to work in a mental hospital, or will you just sit at home and take that well earned rest?

Louise Bricker and Dale Mumper, x-'49, were married recently in the First Church of God in Elizabeth-

Dr. Jay Eshelman, x-'32, was elected president of the Philadelphia Chapter of the Alumni Association at a banquet in Whitman's Restau-

Stanley Heisey, '48, and Robert Leidner, '49, leave for Paris, France, in October. They will study at the

Paul Grubb, x-'24, who is a member of the board of trustees of the Lancaster General Hospital, has the 1950 campaign committee for the in the plumbing business. annual drive for charity and replacement funds.

begin a pastorate in Carlisle Church of the Brethren in September.

will assume the pastorate of the Halledaysberg Church of the Brethren in June.

and 6th grades at Mt. Joy.

Robert Hutter, '49, is writing a by-line column for the sports pages of the Lancaster New Era.

Many of the students are doing one of these things and some, other kinds of work. At any rate here are some of the plans:

Bernice Gibble will wait on tables in Ocean City, N. J. with Sally Reddig. Lucille Heisey will do general office work for the Ephrata community hospital. Phyllis Saylor will work in her father's factory, while Arlene Keeney works on her parents' farm. Working in Harrisburg are Lois Wilson and Elsie Bomgard-

Bill Edwards and Bob Harlin hope to get jobs on a state highway, as does Stanley Dietrich. Alan Whitacre is journeying to Illinois to work in a mental hospital there. Burt been appointed county chairman of Shellhammer is helping his father

Ben Ebersole is a counselor for the YMCA Camp Shaw, Connells-Rev. and Mrs. David Markey will ville, Pa. Albert Seldomridge is desk clerk at Crestmont Inn, Eagles Mere, Pa. Carl Frederick will be Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Haldeman at the Armstrong Cork company in Lancaster this summer.

Armon Snowden will be a summer pastor at the Fruitdale and Ce-Russell Kiscaden is teaching 5th dar Creek Churches of the Brethren in southwestern Alabama. Jesse Brown will work for the Fellowship of Reconciliation Peace Caravan in Lancaster county.

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